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ASK FOR INCREASE IN WAGES.

Chicago Pullman Car Porters Hold Meeting to Form a Labor Union.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—About 200 Pullman car porters met in Chicago yesterday for the purpose, it is said, of forming a union. The meeting was secret and very little of the proceedings became public. The union when it is fully organized will be along the lines of labor unions generally and will also have a death benefit. The porters have already sent a request to the Pullman Company for an increase in wages.

WILL SUCCEED HORAN.

Acting Chief Seyferick to be Appointed Chicago's Fire Marshal.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—Mayor F. A. Busse has called a special meeting of the city council for tonight and it is said he will announce the appointment of Acting Chief Charles R. Seyferick as Chicago's fire marshal, to succeed James Horan, who was buried yesterday.

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NORTHERN BANK OF NEW YORK CLOSED.

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Suspension of Institution Not An Unexpected Event.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—The Northern Bank of New York at No. 215 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street which has several branches in Harlem and the Bronx, was taken possession of today by Superintendent of Banks Cheney. The institution has deposits aggregating over $6,000,000. The Northern Bank was formerly known as the Hamilton Bank, which had difficulties during the panic of 1907. A large crowd of depositors gathered around the door of the institution this morning long before the scheduled hour of opening, but could obtain no information concerning the institution. The following notice was pinned on the bank's door:

"Pursuant to the provisions of section 19 of the banking laws of the state of New York, I have this day taken possession of the Northern Bank of New York.

"C. H. Cheney,
"Superintendent of Banks.
"Dec. 27, 1910."

The closing of the doors of the Northern Bank did not come as a surprise to those who had knowledge of the bank's condition. The suspension is regarded as unimportant in banking circles.

The following statement regarding the suspension of the Northern Bank was made today by Superintendent of Banks Cheney:

"The superintendent of banks this morning took possession of the Northern Bank of New York, the main office of which is located at 215 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, with nine branches situated at various points throughout the city. The banking department has been conducting an examination of this institution for several days, and because of discovered conditions, and also certain irregular transactions that have taken place during the time the examination has been in progress, the Superintendent of banks deemed it necessary to take possession for the protection of the depositors. The superintendent has appointed Arthur K. Atford, an examiner in the department, special deputy superintendent of banks, as agent to assist him in the liquidation.

"This institution has a capital of $700,000 and a book surplus at the time of its last published statement, November 10, 1910, of $135,965.11. Its deposits at that time were $6,912,682.-92. No further statement will be made until a complete inventory of the assets is obtained."

Crowds of depositors gathered at the doors of the main bank and the several branches and there tearfully bemoaned their losses. Many of the depositors were small storekeepers. The police maintained order by keeping the depositors on the move.

State Banking Superintendent Cheney and State Superintendent of Insurance Hotchkiss visited District Attorney Whitman this afternoon and had a talk with him. Both state officials carried several books and many papers. It is understood that the conference resulted in the decision to place the affairs of the bank before the grand jury. District Attorney Whitman merely said the affairs would be gone into thoroughly and that if any criminal act had been committed indictments would be found. Just what connection the state insurance department has with the bank affairs could not be learned, but it is said that some insurance company was involved. The state officials refused to make any statement.

LATEST NAVAL NEWS.

Orders to Officers and Movements of Vessels.

(Special despatch to the News.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—The following orders to officers were announced by the Navy Department today:

Commander R. F. Lopez, ordered to duty as senior member of a board to conduct general surveys of vessels on the Pacific coast.

Ensign W. R. Purcell, detached from the Pennsylvania and ordered to the Vicksburg.

Ensign W. W. Wilson, detached from the California and ordered to the Goldsborough.

Ensign C. F. Pousland, detached from the California an ordered to the Preble.

Ensign H. G. Gearing, Jr. detached from the California and ordered to the Lawrence.

Ensign J. H. Condit, detached from the South Dakota and ordered to the Hopkins.

Midshipman E. H. Connor, detached from the Pennsylvania and ordered to the South Dakota.

Midshipman T. M. Tipton, detached from the Pennsylvania and ordered to the Glacier.

Midshipman J. F. McClain, detached from the Maryland and ordered to the Rowan.

Machinist J. H. McDonough, ordered to the naval hospital, Boston, for treatment.

The following movements of vessels were reported today to the department:

Arrived—Vulcan at Hampton Roads, Des Moines at Las Palmas, Brutus at New London.

Sailed—Patapsco, from Norfolk for New York; Supply, from Key West for Havana; Solace, from Point a Pitre for La Guayra; Dubuque, from Portsmouth, N. H., for New York.

Lord.

EXPULSION OF JEWS BEGUN.

Those Residing Illegally in St. Petersburg Driven Out.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 27.—The expulsion of Jews, asserted to be residing illegally in St. Petersburg, has been begun. As a preliminary step 101 have been deprived of membership in artisan guilds, thereby losing their right of residence in the capital.

BODY BLOW TO KIDNAPPING BANDS

Italian Man and Woman Receive Maximum Sentence.

Abductors of Brooklyn Children Deserve Death Penalty.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—A body blow to the kidnapping bands who have been working in this and other cities was administered by Judge Fawcett in the county court in Brooklyn today, when, after unmercifully scoring Maria Rappa and Stanislaw Patterson as a menace to the community, and deserving of the death penalty, the court gave them the maximum sentence for kidnapping, an indeterminate period of from 25 to 49 years and ten months in state prison. They were convicted recently after short trials of having abducted and held in captivity eight-year-old Giuseppi Longo and Michael Rizzo, seven years old, sons of well-to-do Brooklyn Italians.

The Longo boy was kidnapped November 19 last, and a few days later the Rizzo child disappeared. The Longo boys' parents soon received a letter demanding $15,000 for the return of their child. The case being put into the hands of Deputy Police Commission Flynn, a clue was obtained to the whereabouts of the supposed kidnappers and in a sensational raid on a house in East Sixty-third street, the Long child was found and ten prisoners, two of them women. Little Giusseppi Long was the chief witness against both prisoners at the kidnapping band and that Maria Rappa was one of his most important aides.

In sentencing the Rappa woman Judge Fawcett and he regretted that he could not impose the death penalty, which would be none too severe. He declared that she must be lacking in every instinct of a mother. Patterson was given a similarly severe scoring, which he took coolly. The woman prisoner, through an interpeter, disclaimed connection with the kidnapping, but the court declared that her story was not worthy of the slightest credit. The announcement of the sentence was well received by the big crowd, chiefly composed of foreigners, which filled the court room and corridors.

A "BLACKHAND" BOMB.

Explosion Occurs in Tenement in the Italian Quarter of New York.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Two hundred occupants of a tenement in the Italian quarter in East Fourteenth street, found their escape to the street cut off today when a "blackhand" bomb exploded in the lower hallway, tore out every window in the structure. The excited tenants, pitched from their beds by the shock which rocked the building, rushed for the usual exits and when they found their way blocked, scrambled to the fire escapes and the roof. Salvatore Catolanio, lace manufacturers on the ground floor, told the police that he had recently received a letter demanding $1,000 under penalty of death or destruction of his property.

AFFECTING WORKING PEOPLE.

Nearly 1,700 Agreements are in Force in the United Kingdom.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—Nearly 1,700 agreements between employers and their employes affecting directly 2,400,000 working people, are in force in the United Kingdom, according to consular reports of a recent compilation made by the British board of trade. Of those agreements 30 are sliding scales, 566 are piece-price lists and 1,103 are working agreements. In many cases the agreements are connected with permanent conciliation boards and joint committees in the various trades. Some of the agreements contain many details and provisions not only as to wage rates and hours of labor but also as to the number to be employed in specified tasks, distribution of work in slack times, enticing away workmen, conditions under which youthful labor shall be employed and conciliation and arbitration.

One of the benefits of these agreements, according to the government report on the subject, is that they make possible the accurate calculation by the manufacturer of labor's part in the cost of production because of its specific and unvarying conditions.

IMPEDES TROLLEY TRAFFIC.

Fire in New York Building Occupied by Munroe Publishing Company.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—In a fire today which burned out the three upper floors of the building at 24-28 Vandwater street, occupied by the Munroe Publishing Company and printing and book binding companies, four firemen were injured by a falling cornice. None of the injured were fatally hurt. The damage is estimated at $100,000. Trolley traffic over the Brooklyn bridge was impeded for some time by smoke from the fire.

An excited rush of tenants from an apartment house in West Fifty-seventh street was a feature of a fire which broke out in the lower floor of the structure today. Several persons were partially overcome by the smoke before they could be roused and assisted to the street. The elevator boy kept his car running and quickly emptied the house of its occupants. The fire was confined to the first floor and did comparatively small damage.

STEAMERS REPORTED.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27.—Mesaba, London for New York, 193 miles east of Sandy Hook at 6 a. m. will dock about 9 a. m. Wednesday.

NIASCONSET, Mass., Dec. 27.—Ryndam, Rotterdam and Boulogne for New York, 283 miles east of Sandy Hook at 9:15 a. m.; will dock about 9 a. m. Wednesday.

OLD BOUNDARY DISPUTE THE CAUSE

Haytien - Dominican Clash May Have Serious Results.

No News of American Customs Collectors in Disturbed District.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 27.—A clash between Haytien soldiers and Dominican customs guards, which may have serious results, is reported to the bureau of insular affairs of the War Department from the American customs officers detailed in San Domingo, to collect the revenue. The trouble apparently broke out Saturday, at a point on the boundary between the two countries near Lake Enriquillo, in the southern part of the island.

The results of the collision were not known in San Domingo City up to last night, but in the absence of official confirmation the Dominican officials attached enough importance to the report to indulge in a hasty cabinet meeting, and to begin negotiations with the resident Haytien minister to San Domingo. To guard against the failure of the negotiations, Dominicans were ordered from various parts of the country to the border. The Independencia, the only Dominican gunboat of any consequence was made ready to convey the troops and supplies immediately to Perdenales. Clyde line steamer Cherokee, which was at San Domingo City when the news came, was detained, the government contemplating a request to the captain of the ship to transport troops to some point near the border on the south coast.

According to advices received the trouble is due to an old quarrel over the boundary lines between the two republics. The dispute recently took on a critical phase, owing to the assertion by the Dominicans of the right of occupation of the disputed territory, and the construction of roads by them north of Perdenales. Three American customs collectors are in the disturbed section, and two of them, M. E. Beal at El Sordo, and James J. McLean at Commendador, have not been heard from, while word has been received from John P. Holleson, at Dajabon.

FRIENDLY SETTLEMENT EXPECT

Advices to Caceros Look Favorable Over Hayti Boundary Line.

SAN DOMINGO, Republic of Santo Domingo, Dec. 27.—President Ramon Caceros, in an interview today, said that his latest advices looked more favorable for the friendly settlement of the boundary dispute with Hayti. The president does not wish a conflict with the neighboring republic but demands that his country's rights be respected. Work at the border, upon the government railway line, is intended ultimately to connect with the capitals of Santo Domingo and Hayti, continues.

INSURRECTION REPORTED.

German Cruiser Emden Sails for Ponape in the Caroline Islands.

TSING TAU, China, Dec. 27.—German cruiser Emden sailed today for Ponape, Caroline Islands, where it is reported an insurrection has occurred.

A despatch from Brisbane, Australia, last night stated that the natives in Ponape had revolted and murdered four Europeans and five friendly natives. The Caroline Islands, together with the western Carolines, were sold by Spain to Germany in 1899. They form a large archipelago, some 680 small islands in 48 groups in the Pacific ocean. The most important islands are Yap and Ponape. Copra is the chief export. There are a number of trading stations on the islands, the area of which is 560 square miles. The population is about 40,000.

NATIVES ARE LOYAL.

German Governor of the Caroline Islands Arrives With Soldiers.

BERLIN, Dec. 27.—The colonial office today received a message from the German governor of the Caroline islands reporting his arrival at Ponape with 160 soldiers. He states that the insurgents do not exceed 250 and that the natives generally are loyal.

Cruiser Nurenberg was ordered today to proceed from Hong Kong to Ponape. Cruiser Cormoran and surveying ship Planet are already there, while cruiser Emden is en route to the scene from Tsing Tau.

A SEARCH FOR EXPLOSIVES.

General Duvall's Order Causes Resentment in JJapanese Colony.

MANILA, Dec. 27.—Pursuant to the receipt of secret information Major General Duvall, the retiring commander of the Department of the Philippines, U. S. A. caused military agents to obtain the assistance of the police in searching one store and several Japanese homes for explosives. The search was futile and has caused resentment in the Japanese colony. The residences visited included that of the agent of the mercantile house of the Mitsui Bussan Company, Limited.

REFERENDUM COMPLETED.

Italian Railway Employes Take Action in Regard to a Strike.

ROME, Dec. 27.—More than 90,000 railway employes in Italy have just completed the taking of a referendum, to determine what attitude they should assume in order to bring about an amelioration of their condition. By a great majority the men declared in favor of the instruments of strike and "sabotage."

In France the term "sabotage" has come to indicate organized acts of violence, such as the destruction or crippling of machinery or other property, in order to force a suspension of work. As adopted in Italy it is probable that the word is used in the sense of "to harass" the authorities in their efforts to restore communication over a railway line, the employes of which are on strike.

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Suits, formerly $19.00 and $21, now $14.75
Suits, formerly $23.50, now .. $16.50
Suits, formerly $24.50 and $25, now $18.00
Suits, formerly $32.50, now .. $23.50

Special!

10 Velvet Sample Suits, black, blue, brown and green, formerly $23.50 and $26, your choice of any at ..... $14.95.
Coats, full length, formerly $3.60, now $4.98
Coats, full length, formerly $9.50, now $5.95
Coats, full length, formerly $10.75 now $8.75
Coats, full length, formerly $12.50, now $9.50
Coats, full length, formerly $15.00, now $11.50
Caracul Coats, ful length, formerly $15.50, now $11.75
Caracul Coats, full length, formerly $19.50, now $13.50
Silk Plush Coats, full length formerly $25.00, now $17.50
Silk Plush Coats, fulk length, formerly $32.50, now $23
Children's Coats, formerly $2.75, now $2.98
Children's Coats, formerly $4.75, now $3.75
Children's Coats, formerly $7.50, now $4.95
Children's Coats, formerly $8.75, now $6.75
Ladies' and Misses' Cloth Dresses in different colors, put into one lot, formerly $8.50, $9.50 and $11.50. Your choice at $6.75
Another lot former prices from $12.50 to $16.50. Your choice at $8.75

This Sale is strictly for CASH.

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DYNAMITE IN LOS ANGELES.

Attempt to Blow Up Iron Works Connected With Labor Troubles.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 26.—Christmas day here was marked by a partially successful attempt to destroy with dynamite the Llewellyn Iron Works, one of the largest establishments of the kind in the Southwest. The attack is believed to have been an outcome of labor troubles.

With the Los Angeles Times outrage of last October, in which 21 men were killed, still fresh in the public mind, this latest outbreak caused tremendous excitement. Groups of church-goers, on emerging from services in which the theme had been "peace and good will," discussed the attack with earnestness and the demand for drastic and unsparing action was general.

The plant, which is situated at Main and Redondo streets, was badly damaged by a charge of the explosive which was placed against the side of the building and detonated at 1:50 o'clock. J. E. Asbury, a watchman, was slightly injured. The office and upper floor of the building were completely wrecked. The plant proper was uninjured. The company has been involved many months in a strike of union metal workers.

Who placed the supposed charge of dynamite is unknown to the police.

The Llewellyn Iron Works has long been active in the fight against union labor in this city, and is one of the companies involved in the metal workers' strike, which went into effect June 1 and has been exceedingly bitter at all stages. Officials of the Llewellyn company are of the opinion that the supposed effort to destroy their plant is the outgrowth of their differences with labor.

Apparently the police have no definite clue.

OFF FOR HONDURAS.

American Soldier of Fortune Accompanied by Bonila.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—Manuel Bonila, former president of Honduras, and General Lee Christmas, an American soldier of fortune, both of whom disappeared mysteriously after the Hornet left New Orleans several years ago. have sailed for Honduras on board a passenger steamer, to lead a revolution in that country, according to private advices received here.

Bonila and Christmas it is stated here, took every precaution that the neutrality laws might not be violated in connection with the sailing of the Hornet, but their agents are expected to meet the vessel at some point in Central America and formally charter it for use in transporting munitions of war up and down the coast.

A SMOKE CONSUMER.

Carlsbad Inventor Has Perfected Most Remarkable Device for Prevention of Soot.

[William E. Curtis, in Washington Star.]

A smoke consumer in practical operation in many places at Carlsbad deserves the attention of those who are trying to abate the soot nuisance. It is also of practical interest to all who are seeking economy in the use of fuel. It was invented by Alois Sichert, an architect and engineer of Carlsbad, and was patented in the United States in 1908.

The inventor claims that he has found a perfect method of burning coal for briquets in a furnace by which the smoke is completely consumed. His idea is that, in order to prevent soot and smoke, there must be perfect combustion, and, to insure perfect combustion, the air must be heated before it reaches the fire and must be supplied from above and not from below, as usual. His invention secures a draft of air which is driven down upon the fire from above, beating back the smoke into the flames as it endeavors to rise, so that it is completely consumed.

The municipal officials at Carlsbad were the first to adopt the Sichert invention and first tried it on the public slaughter house, where a chimney, which has been used night and day for 2½ years, still looks absolutely new. The top is unstained by soot and no one ever saw smoke arising from it. The patent was then applied to the boilers of the public gardens, where the soot from the chimneys had damaged the foliage and the flowers, and had ruined several rare plants. It was found to work to perfection and no smoke is ever seen rising from that chimney. The next experiment was on the boilers of the kuchens, where large quantities of water are heated for the baths, and also for the kitchen of a large restaurant. The result was the same as elsewhere, and it was demonstrated that the economy in fuel in a single year was equal to the cost of the improvement.

Then the hotels and restaurants began to adopt it, until now it is used in about 60 of the largest establishments in Carlsbad, including the three great bathhouses, and I have been assured by the managers of several that they have found it to be of great advantage, not only as a smoke consumer, but as a measure of economy in the consumption of the coal. They all agree that they obtain the same heat results with a cheaper quality of coal as well as a smaller quantity. The average consumption is often 95 per cent of the fuel when formerly, with the old-fashioned furnaces, it was sometimes as low as 68 per cent.

The quantity of the coal used around Carlsbad is very poor. It is a reddish, rusty lignite, found in the immediate neighborhood, which has never been considered worth shipping, and its use is entirely local. As one gentleman expressed it, it "is not worth carting five miles," but nothing else is used for fuel in Carlsbad with the new system, and that fact ought to be sufficient to justify an investigation of the system.

Herr Sichert was born and has spent his entire life in this neighborhood. He is the son of a farmer, who still cultivates a little patch of ground on the outskirts of Carlsbad. He was educated in the schools of this city and learned his profession here. When he was a barefooted urchin he was around the porcelain and glass factories that have made Bohemia famous, because he was always interested in the furnaces and the way in which they were fed and controlled.

The cause of smoke was a riddle he was ever trying to solve, and the injury to property that he noticed while he was studying architecture made him eager to find a remedy. He tried several experiments in building fireplaces to test different ideas pulling them down only to rebuild them in other ways.

He experimented with different qualities of coal in the same manner whenever he could induce people to permit him to use their furnaces. He had been engaged in these experiments for 15 years, when he discovered the secret of the top draft and the advantages of heat it. Then he went to Vienna and took out his patent. A company was formed in Carlsbad to promote it, and the apparatus has been placed in several furnaces in Paris and other cities of Europe with the same results that have been shown in Carlsbad.

MIDDLETOWN.

Rev. Mr. Gring of Japan Preaches at Berkeley—Second Lecture at Methodist Church.

[Regular correspondence of the News]

In the absence of Rev. Latta Griswold, who is spending the holidays in Minneapolis, the pulpit at St. Columba's Chapel, the Berkely Memorial, was filled Sunday morning, Christmas day, by the Rev. A. D. Gring, of Japan, who took as his text Matthew V: 17; "I am not come to destroy but to fulfill." Rev. Mr. Gring, who has been in Japan as a missionary 31 years, is at home on account of the illness of his wife and is substituting for the present under Bishop Lawrence of Massachusetts. The chapel was attractively decorated with strands of laurel, with wreaths at the pulpit and chancel rail. The altar bore vases of white carnations and ferns. There was a celebration of the Holy Communion, with Rev. Mr. Gring as celebrant. In the absence of the vested choir from St. George's School, for three Sundays the music will be mostly congregational, assisted by members of the former chapel choir.

The second in the series of Sunday evening lectures at the Methodist Episcopal Church was conducted Christmas night by Rev. Clayton E. Delamater, the pastor, before a good-sized gathering. It seemed somewhat singular that a returned missionary from Japan should speak at the Berkeley Chapel in the morning, and in the evening the subject "Japan and the Japanese," should be presented at the Methodist Episcopal Church. About 100 slides were shown, nearly all of them delicately tinted. Many beautiful views were seen of the streets lined with cherry trees in bloom, of wistaria-hung bridges and gardens. The chief industries were pictured in detail, rice culture, the raising of tea leaves and their expedition, and the cultivation of the silkworm and extensive manufacture of silks. In concluding the lecture several religious pictures were presented, among them "The Good Samaritan" as illustrative of the true missionary spirit.

The congregation sang the Christmas hymn, "It came upon the midnight clear," Mrs. Ida M. Brown and Mrs. John H. Peckham gave the duet, "Beautiful Night, Wonderful Night," and the choir sang the anthem, "The Christmas Bells are ringing." Following this service the presents about the Christmas tree, which stood at the head of the church near the library, were distributed by the boys of Miss Ellen Smith's Sunday-School class. This was an unusual circumstance, as the heavy fall of rain the night previous prevented the Christmas tree exercises. But two families reached the church Saturday night, and they exchanged gifts and returned to their homes.

The church was trimmed with evergreen strands and wreaths, with red bells interspersed.

Mr. William L. Brown presented the church with a bulletin board, which has been placed on the wall facing the entrance.

The following students attending the State Normal School at Providence from Middletown are at home for the holidays: Miss Alice Petzka, Miss Amy Barker, Miss Arletta Peckham, Miss E. Grace Anthony; also those who are teaching out of town, Miss Winnie-bell A. R. Peckham, Providence; Miss Jessie Farnum, Tuckerton, N. J.; Miss Elizabeth P. Anthony, Mont Clair, N. J.; Miss Edith M. Peckham, Morristown, N. J.

Mr. Alan R. Wheeler, instructor in history and physical training at St. George's School, is spending the Christmas vacation in Chicago.

Mr. Lester Albro of New York, who has been spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Albro, on Peckham Avenue, returned Monday evening. Mrs. Albro has been confined to her home for several weeks by an attack of the grip.

The Sunday School session and the usual evening service at the Berkeley parish house were omitted Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Coundon are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Barker on East Main road.

Mrs. William Livesey Brown will present as her subject before the Oliphant Club, "James Whitcomb Riley."

Mr. William Augustus Peckham, who is attending Harvard University, is with his uncle, Mr. Joel Peckham, for the holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Edward Farnum and their two children of Newport, also Mrs. Rowena Albro, were guests of relatives in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Ward entertained at Christmas Dr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Farnum and their daughter of Providence, and their son, Mr. Clifton Ward of Woods Holl.

Although Monday was a legal holiday, a morning trip was made by the rural free delivery carriers for the accommodation of the public.

IT IS SERIOUS.

Some Newport People Fail to Realize the Seriousness of a Bad Back.

The constant aching of a bad back,
The weariness, the tired feeling,
The pains and aches of kidney ills
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PORTSMOUTH.

Vaucluse School and the Various Churches Hold Their Usual Christmas Exercises.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

Christmas exercises were observed at the Vaucluse school to the gratification of 25 visitors, who included, besides parents and relatives, the superintendent of schools, Mrs. John M. Eldredge, and School Committeeman Michael J. Murphy. The room had been made attractive by Christmas designs drawn on the blackboards by the teacher, Miss Harticon, and the cover of the program had been prettily embellished by the children (and the contents written by them,) having within a band of red a wreath of holly tied with a red bow and enclosing "1910," Also in red, and below "A Merry Christmas."

The program began with singing after which the following numbers were well carried out: Address of welcome, by the school in concert; Christmas quotations by the school, in response to questions by the teacher; "Old English Carol," school; dialogue by ten girls, "Story of the Christ-Child" beginning with the largest and ending with the smallest, five holding gilt stars and five wreaths of green; recitation, "The Nativity" George Gibson; Song "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing," school; recitation, "The Angelic Song," Ruth Brown; quartet—Francis and Mary Sheehan, George Gibson and Ruth Brown—"Christmas Lullaby;" recitations, "Christmas Acrostic," John Gibson; "Christmas, Glad Christmas," Marjorie and Nora, and "Christmas Bells," Francis Sheehan; song "In the Town of Christmas," school; recitations, "Christmas," Margaret Conway, and "In Santa Claus Land," Elizabeth O'Brien; song "Merry, Merry Christmas," school; dialogue, "Jolly Santa Claus," Song, "Christmas," school; "Jolly, Jolly Santa Claus," song by school; song "Coming of Santa," recitation "Welcome Santa" Ruth Brown.

One of the prettiest Christmas entertainments ever given in the Christian Church was that arranged by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Loucks, and Mrs. Loucks. The cantata, "A good time with Santa Claus," was given, the number taking part including a large proportion of the Sunday school and a few others. The west end of the church had been curtained off and when the curtain was drawn revealed a charming scenes. In the centre was a brick fireplace having a glowing red fire behind the andirons, and above the deep mantel an arch of white and green, which in some the scenes represented a hill covered with snow. The south end had an immense wheel, on which were placed the presents. It was lighted by candles and revolved at intervals, its gay trimmings making it a pretty spectacle. A large bell hung in the centre and others from the chandeliers.

Then came a song by Viola and James Carter as a duet, the chorus sung by the school, while bells were heard ringing outside heralding the approach of Santa Claus—George Gibson—and a recitation, "Jolly Santa Claus," by 12 of the youngest pupils, holding pink and yellow stockings, 10 of them bearing each a letter of the name Santa Claus. After the recitation the stockings were put on the Christmas tree, with the request that Santa fill them. Santa Claus came in and an address of welcome was given, followed by a song, "Tell me what you have for me," by the school. Ruth Brown and June Allen distributed the presents, each scholar having from the teacher a lace stocking of candy, an orange, a bag of peanuts, a bag of pop corn and a bon bon. The last named when pulled produced caps, which were worn by the children as they marched about the schoolroom, led by Santa Claus. Mrs. Eldredge and Mr. Murphy were called upon to speak and said a few words. Songs, "Thank you, Santa," and "Good Night, Santa," concluded the exercises.

The program opened with a song and was followed with prayer by Rev. Mr. Loucks. Miss Sadie C. Anthony, was the organist during the evening and Mrs. Charles G. Clarke accompanied with the violin. After an introduction was played the curtain was drawn, showing a pretty scene in which 13 small girls, each holding a lighted candle, all dressed in light blue, with tall blue caps, were arranged as a pyramid, in rows of four, with the smallest one at the top. From the shoulders of each were long ribbons of blue which stretched up and were gathered into the hands of the tiny "tot" at the top, Miss Margaret Conway. They sang very sweetly.

Then came singing by chorus of seven "Hallelujah;" violin solo, Mrs. Clarke; singing by chorus, "Hurrah for the Christmas Time;" tableau by six children, apparently out of doors among snow and ice, clothed with caps and mittens, and a child on a sled—Charles Wilson, gave a recitation and the children sang, "Christmas Chimes," which were heard ringing in the distance; song, "The Workshop under the Ground"—Santa Claus, Mr. Joseph Sentance, was seen coming and the children rushed to meet him. He sang "I am a Jolly Old Boy." Several boys dressed in bright red acted the "workshop under the ground" as they sang it; "It came upon the midnight clear," Mr. Edward Siddington; sung by chorus, "Ring, Ring;" tableau, a home scene; room with family of seven—father, mother and children—sewing, reading, etc. Bibles were distributed and the second chapter of Matthew was read; singing, "The Star of Bethlehem;" "Song of the Angels," by the children, after which, as they hung up their stockings on the mantel they sang "A Slumber Song" and Santa Claus, admirably personated by Mr. Sentance, came and filled them. After all had gone to bed there was a song, "Jolly Little Workers;" recitation, "When Christmas Comes Again," and "When Moonlight Sleeps."

The presents were then taken from the wheel and given out by a large number of children members of the Sunday School, adults and children, each receiving an orange and a box of candy. Rev. Mr. Loucks and wife received a handsome sum of money, being present from the different churches in town and quite a number from Middletown.

A pretty tree, well filled with presents, was held at St. Anthony's Church, attended by the Sunday School children; teachers and many of the parishioners. The following order of exercises was observed: Prayer, address to the children, declamation, Miss Catherine Ney; song, "The Boogie-Boo Man," Miss Bessie O'Connor; declamation, Miss Catherine Ney; chorus, "Jolly Old St. Nicholas," by Misses Marie and Annie Davis and Ethel De Costa and Messrs. Francis Sheehan, Eddy Coghlan and Arthur Barrett; sketch, "Santa Claus's Workshop, Christmas Land."—"Santa Claus," Dennis Murphy; "Mother Santa Claus," Miss Catherine Ney; "The Busy Workers," Marie and Annie Davis, Ethel de Costa, Michael Murphy, Lewis Murphy, Francis Sheehan, Eddy Coghlan and Arthur Barrett; distribution of presents given by by Santa Claus and all "The Busy Workers."

The decoration of the big tree was done by the Sunday School teachers. They also, with the parents and women from Fall River, contributed to the numerous and pleasing presents given the young folks. The choir and declamations were directed by Miss Minnie Adams, aided by Miss Catherine Sullivan.

St. Paul's parish and Sunday School held its usual Christmas service at the Church Saturday evening, and later adjourned to the guild house for its festivities, which included a tree, a short entertainment, a pie and a collation. The evening was so rainy that the wisdom of adjourning the affair until Monday evening was for a long time considered, but so many gathered, nearly all the children being present, that it was decided to proceed.

The choral service at the church, under the choirmaster, Mr. B. Archie Chase, was enhanced by violin accompaniment by Master Norman Rove. The church had been simply decorated with green and on the altar were two vases of calla lilies. The guild house was more elaborately decorated heightening the effect of the interior. Mrs. Clara Rove, organist, had charge of the following program.

Carol, Sunday School; carol, "Brother's Carol," recitation, "Santa Claus" Marion Matthews; soprano solo, "Watchful Shepherds" Miss Louise Chase; recitation, Irene Sewall; carol, Sunday School, "Wakea, Christian Children;" duet, "Dolly and Her Mamma," Hazel Dale and Florence Rose; recitation, "A Merry Christmas," Elizabeth Anthony; recitation, "Signs of Christmas," Elsie Pleard; carol, "Deep the Gloom," Sunday School; recitation, "Christmas Eve," Elinor Matthews; carol, "We three Kings of Orient."

The presents from the tree were then distributed, a book and an orange being given to each scholar and a box of candy to each person present, the guild house being quite well filled. Sandwiches, cake and coffee was served.

Mrs. B. C. Sherman of the committee was ill; and unable to be present and Mrs. Clara E. Dennis served in her place with the others. Mrs. Fannie T. Clarke, Mrs. Arthur A. Hedly and Mrs. Edward R. Anthony. Members of the parish unable to be present through illness had a portion of good things sent to them.

SCHEMERS IN WASHINGTON.

National Bankruptcy May Result From the Strong Demand for Government "Pork."

[Hartford Times, Dem.]

Speaker Cannon and his system have stood for the protected interests as did Speaker Reed and his system before the days of Cannon. But they have stood for a good deal more. They have been a bulwark against a thousand extravagant schemes for spending the people's money and increasing taxation; and therein is to be found the main source of their unpopularity. At the last session we saw the control exercised by the Speaker as the organ of the majority on the Republican side of the House broken, and what do we see now?

First there is the scheme to add $50,000,000 a year to the pension list of giving a service pension to all surviving soldiers of the Civil war. That bill is fathered by Mr. Sulloway, a representative of the "progressive" state of New Hampshire. Next there is the raid of the jingoes which has for its object to add $100,000,000 or more to the annual cost of the army and of land defenses. Third, there is the scheme of Mr. Curtis a standpat Senator from "progressive" Kansas, to provide a pension of $600 a year for all civil employes of the government who have served 10 years and have reached the age of 65. As there are 1,000,000 of men in the employ of the government, it is easy to calculate that in a few years such a law would add 50,000 or more men to the pension list every year, which would in a comparatively few years reach unheard-of proportions. But if there were only 100,000 civil pensioners the annual cost would be $60,000,000.

These are only three of the schemes for robbing the masses for the support of favored classes and "special interests" which are on the "progressive" program. If these men who have been rending the air with their denunciations of Speaker Cannon and "one man power" in Congress could have their way the cost of the government in the ensuing fiscal year would be more than doubled, and the burdens of the people would be correspondingly increased.

How to live without work at the cost of the American people is the main underlying purpose of the schemers who have been getting the upper hands at Washington. They have struck down the faithful Tawney of Minnesota from his place at the head of the House committee on appropriations and they mean to strike down every man who stands in their way. The invasion of the hungry hordes of pap-suckers and tax-eaters may be stayed by the Democratic control of the House of Representatives for two years, but it is greatly to be feared that the demand for government "pork" is so strong that it cannot be long restrained. Will it end in national bankruptcy?

PERSONALS.

....John D. Rockefeller sent 20 $5 gold pieces to each of the school teachers at Tarrytown, N. Y., for Christmas. Miss Helen Gould gave gold pieces to the girls in the telephone central offices and to the railroad employes thereabouts. She gave gold pieces and turkeys to her own employes.

....Secretary of State Carmi A. Thompson of Ohio has announced the acceptance from President Taft of the office of Assistant Secretary of the Interior. His salary will be $4,500. Thompson was twice elected secretary of state, following one term as Speaker of the house of representatives of Ohio.

....Six hundred and forty-five dollars, the money which State Senator Theodore Bilbo of Missouri declares was paid him as a bribe during the senatorial contest of last January, was distributed as Christmas presents to four charitable institutions of Jackson. Bilbo gave the money to the authorities as evidence.

....The Periodical Publishers' Association of America will hold its annual dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York, on the evening of January 6, and former President Roosevelt will be the guest of honor and will make the principal speech. This will be Colonel Roosevelt's first public utterance in New York since the election. Champ Clark, prominently mentioned for the next Speaker of the House of Representatives, Bishop Charles D. Williams of Detroit and Francis E. Heney of San Francisco will also speak.

....Adams Sherman Hill, professor emeritus of rhetoric and oratory at Harvard, and the author of notable works on the subject of rhetoric, is dead, aged 77 years. He had been in feeble health for several weeks. He was born in Boston January 30, 1833; graduated from Harvard College with the class of 1853 and from the law school in 1855, and was given the degree of LL. D. in 1903. For 12 years, from 1856, Mr. Hill was alaw reporter, correspondent and editor in New York, Washington and Chicago. In 1872 he was made assistant professor of rhetoric and oratory, which professorship he held until 1904, when he was made professor emeritus. His textbooks on rhetoric were considered authorities, and are used in many of the colleges of the country. Professor Hill also contributed largely to reviews and magazines. He is survived by one son. Arthur D. Hill, who was last year district attorney of Suffolk county.

A Suit of Navy Serge.

The loose box coat and narrow skirt are shown in this walking costume. The cut of the skirt, with a circular top and a deep apron portion sloping downward from the front, is pretty. The coat closes in double-breasted fashion under two enormous cord ornaments. Navy blue serge is the material of this cosume, and the coat is lined with warm smarkt satin. A touch of skunk for added richness and the big muff of fox for completes a pretty costume.

A DAY OF PLEASURE.

De chillun been a-laughin' gay;
De ol' folks sing a song
An' takes no notice of de way
De hours done slip along,
So swiftly we forgits to smile
An' grieve about dey flight;
It's "Merry Christmas" for awhile
An den we says "Good-night."

Wif love or friendship's strongest tie
We tries to hold 'em still;
De hours is stronges', an' dey fly,
An' so dey always will.
An' mebbe it is for de best
De tide done reach its height,
Den ebbs. We's ready for a res'
An' glad to say "Good night."

FANCIES.

"Don't get down in the mouth, old chap. Look on the bright side of things a bit."

"But which is the bright side of a gumboil."—[London Opinion.

"As a politician that man was a disgrace to the city."

"Well, he has risen in the political world since then. Now he's a disgrace to the state."—[Puck.

The Mysogynist—The advance of time has improved everything but woman.

Miss Smart—True! Woman has been perfect from the first.—[Boston Transcript.

Indolent Ike—I wonder if it ain't a fake that horseshoes has luck?

Sleepy Sam—Naw; a horseshoe hit me onect, an' I was took to a hospital an' fed an' rested for two weeks.—[Chicago News.

"All that you need," said the doctor, after he had made a thorough examination, "is a change of diet."

"A change of diet? Good heavens, we've had a new girl every week for the past six months!"—[Judge.

"What was the greatest mistake you ever made in your life?" asked the youthful seeker after knowledge.

"It happened when I was a very young man, and consisted of thinking I couldn't make any," replied the old codger.—[Philadelphia Record.

"You say you're a cousin of Mr. Gibson's?"

"Yes—seven times removed."

"Goodness! How do you keep track of them?"

"Easily. My fourth husband married his third wife."—[Cleveland Leader.

"Did you see the janitor?" asked Mrs. Shivvers.

"Yes," replied her husband. "I told him it was as cold in our flat as at the north pole."

"What did he say?"

"He merely looked supercilious and asked for my proofs."—[Washington Star.

"George," said the girl, "why did you ask for this particular table?"

"Why—er—it's nice and cosey, isn't it?"

"Certainly it's nice and cosey; but do you suppose when a girl is invited to dine in a hotel, she wants to sit at a 'nice and cosey' table where she can't see anybody or be seen?"—[Buffalo Express.

JAPANESE ESTIMATE OF MISSIONS.

[Melville D. Stone in Christian Herald.]

A statesman of Japan said recently in a conversation I had with him: "Your missionaries undoubtedly have done good for the morals of our people, but they have done far more for our health and strength as a nation. They come to us with doctors and nurses and hospitals and schools. Before Perry's arrival 2,000,000 infants were born every year in Japan, and for lack of proper sanitary measures they died. Now with the hospitals and sanitary and hygienic methods introduced by the missionaries, the 2,000,000 children are born, but they do not die." This is true of every other Oriental country. Meanwhile in the countries of Europe the increase of population is slow, and in some countries, as in France, it is hardly increasing at all. In America race suicide is becoming alarmingly prevalent.

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TAINTED ELECTIONS.

Both branches of Congress have a rule that bribery in an election of a member shall not unseat the contestant unless it is proved that enough votes were bought to change the result. This is a good enough rule where the question is whether one man or the other is entitled to the seat. It does not precisely fit the case of Senator Lorimer, whose seat is not claimed by another, but where the question is whether he has an honest title to his seat.

If the evidence was not conclusive, it indicated strongly that besides four men whose votes were bought three others were engaged in buying the votes. It would not be violent to throw out seven votes. This would still leave Lorimer with a majority of seven, and with the evidence before the committee which conducted the investigation there was perhaps nothing else it could do except to report that he was honestly elected.

However, there is a question lying back of the honest votes he received. It may not be dealt with by our laws or the rules of the Senate, but it is reached by the corrupt practices law of England. When a considerable amount of corruption is proved in a constituency the seat may be declared vacant and the constituency left unrepresented during that Parliament. Thus a corrupt constituency is punished, but the opposing candidate is not elected. Considering the corruption proved in the Illinois case, it would not be an injustice to any one to declare the election vacated for fraud. The case might be sent back to the legislature for another election.

The one thing which is pretty certain in the case of bribery of voters is that nobody does it just for fun. Either the candidate is buying votes—and that should unseat him, even if he did not buy enough to determine the result—or his party organization or the interests backing him bought the votes, in which case these backers ought to suffer.

A UNIVERSITY FOR THE PEOPLE.

The system of lectures conducted by the department of education in New York may well be called a university for the people, because of the extent to which the work is carried on and also the eagerness of the people to take advantage of this medium for supplementing the knowledge secured through the regular school channels. This is indeed a part of the great system of public education in that city, for these lectures are given in the schoolhouses and paid for from the department funds. The time has gone by in many cities for the school department to consider that its legitimate work is confined to the children and youth of any age who can attend the regular day schools. It is the outgrowth of this new idea that the department has a duty to all the people of the city that this great lecture system has developed and is annually bringing the means of adding to the education gained in the day schools to thousands of people who otherwise would increase but little their fund of general information after leaving the regular schools.

How greatly these opportunities are appreciated is readily understood from the figures given, showing that nearly a million persons last year were in attendance on these lectures, how easy it is made for the people to attend is evidenced by the fact that more than 6,000 different audiences heard these lectures, how varied are the subjects may be appreciated by the report that more than 1,000 different topics were treated by the speakers, and how many persons are interested in this good work is revealed by the fact that more than 700 lecturers delivered these addresses. Those figures show conclusively that to call this lecture system a university for the people is by no means stretching the imagination. But it is proving just that as a means of increasing the education of the masses.

Investigation made by those in charge of these lectures has disclosed the fact that those who attend are not merely seeking entertainment but are in pursuit of knowledge, and that they not only enjoy the opportunities offered for the acquisition of useful information but are induced in many cases by their interest in the subjects discussed to read further upon them through the facilities afforded by public libraries. Serious education and not mere entertainment has therefore been the result of the system, and in that is found encouragement for those who are conducting the enterprise. The knowledge of this fact, too, has led to the adoption of the same plan, though on a smaller scale, in other cities, for it is believed that if such a course is so great a success in New York it should be successful wherever it is adopted. So in various parts of the country, in large and some small cities, similar systems of public lectures for the masses have been established with good results, and it is the conviction of educators who have studied the system that it will prove valuable anywhere, however large or small the place may be.

This is simply another step in the direction of making the public school system cater to all classes and all ages of people, and not to confine it longer to the children and youth, and to have the schoolhouses in as constant use as is possible, instead of being closed during a large part of the time. It is in accordance with this policy that Chicago recently introduced into its schoolhouses moving pictures as a part of the plan for the education of the masses. The stereopticon has long been employed for this purpose and the use of the moving picture machine is only another step in the progress made in employing all sorts of useful agencies for the education of the people. A lecture course as a university for the people is a legitimate adjunct to the public school system and any city which adopts one is in the direct line of progress.

TRAVEL IN NEW YORK.

The business of hauling people around a big city is so enormous that it is difficult to form any conception of it. In New York, which is long and narrow and in which so many people do business that most of them must live at a great distance from their employment, and everybody who goes shopping must take a car each way and probably two or three in the process, the street travel is expanding beyond the growth of population and reaches figures which convey little idea to the mind.

When the elevated lines were opened they took little traffic from the surface roads; they hardly caught up with the growth of population. When the subways were opened their business made little difference with that of the surface and elevated cars, because population had again outgrown the existing means of transit and the new means merely relieved the pressure a little. The amount of travel grows faster than the population because people travel more. Every year there is an increase of people who are too far from shops, places of employment and amusement, to walk, and probably people ride more from choice than formerly. They become accustomed to taking cars, and in spite of the high cost of living there is an increase of prosperity in the community as a whole which leads people to part with their nickels more readily.

There has just been published a statement of the passengers carried on the elevated and subway cars for 10 days during the Christmas shopping season. It beats all records except for two days during the Hudson-Fulton celebration. A good deal more than 17,000,000 passengers were carried on these two systems, and this does not include the surface cars. For the 10-day period all records were broken. On each of two days more than 2,000,000 passengers were carried in the elevated and subway cars. Both of these were Mondays. Are Mondays especially popular shopping days?

Admiral George Dewey observed his seventy-third anniversary Monday. With his usual modesty he did not make much celebration, going out for a drive, during which the President and Mrs. Taft, Chief Justice White, members of the cabinet and the diplomatic corps called to offer congratulations to the hero of Manila Bay. Admiral Dewey is still hale and hearty attending daily to his duties as president of the general naval board.

The controversy between Governor-elect Woodrow Wilson and former Senator James Smith, Jr., of New Jersey is becoming bitter and the result, whatever it may be, will unquestionably leave some scars which will not readily be healed. Up to the present time Mr. Wilson seems to have the better of the contest.

It was both a green and a white Christmas if one considers both the day itself and the legal holiday, the snow on the latter coming in sufficient quantity to give the ground a mantel of white before it was over.

The vacancy in the Fourth Ward delegation to the Representative Council gives an opportunity to return Rear Admiral French E. Chadwick to that body, where he has been one of the most valuable members.

The aviators are still going up. Hoxsie, a Wright operator, at Los Angeles, rises to a height of 11,474 feet, more than two miles, and comes down safely.

Did you have a merry Christmas?

New Year's next!

THE ARTIST'S MODEL.

[The New Idea Woman's Magazine.]

To the girl with imagination the calling of artists' model lures like a siren. It is the most wonderful make-believe game that was ever invented. An actress plays but one role, while a model plays half a dozen in a day. Within 12 hours she may be an Indian maiden, a lady of the old French court, an athletic girl swinging a tennis racquet, or a goddess of summer winds floating on a cloud.

When the day is over and the artist puts away his paints and brushes, and the tired model steps down from the stand and goes out into the prosaic every-day reality, the make-believe just begins. As she takes her way home she can see herself everywhere. In an open space she stands in bronze, a splendid heroic figure. She becomes for the moment the embodiment of all the ideal qualities the figure represents just as she had that day at the studio, when the sculptor found himself while she thrilled with the same inspiration that was guiding his hands and held the pose until she was stiff and lame with fatigue. Further on, in the lighted window of an art shop, she sees herself again, this time frolicking on a sandy beach, with half a dozen fat babies around her. And she forgets the city street, and feels the warm sun and the fresh salt breeze of the picture.

Before another window she pauses again to look at a drawing by a man for whose first real success she had posed. He was sure of himself now and a bit arrogant with success. When she posed for him last he had said, "Never mind what you are supposed to be. Just stay where I put you. That is all you need to do."

As she looks at the drawing she smiles and remembers when he was struggling with that first success and he said to her, "Won't you please try to look a little more as though you were fighting against a winter wind? I know it is warm here, but please try. It is very hard for me when you look as if you were sitting in a rocking-chair at a summer resort. And she remembers how hard she tried, and how she succeeded until even now she feels that wintry wind tugging at her skirts, and her face takes on the strained, anxious look of the woman in the story.

OLY-KOOKS.

[The Designer.]

Among our Dutch forefathers oly-kooks were the principal holiday cakes, and in many New York kitchens today the same recipe used in great-grandmother's time is brought out at this season, and made as carefully as in the "old Knickerbocker regime."

Beat to a cream one cupful of butter and two of sugar. Break in two eggs, beating vigorously, add half a cupful of hot milk, half a teaspoonful of salt, and sift flour to make a stiff batter. Beat well. Add a cupful and a half more of hot milk and more sifted flour until the batter is as stiff as can be beaten with ease. Cool to lukewarm, add a yeast cake dissolved in a cupful of water, a little more flour and then beat until the batter blisters. Cover and set in a warm place about 24 hours to rise. If set about 10 o'clock in the morning, the batter will usually be well risen by 9 o'clock of the next morning. Dredge the molding board with flour and turn the batter on it, remembering the dough must be as soft as can be handled, and the less handling the better. Roll the dough in sheets about three-fourths of an inch thick and cut in round cakes. Now with a sharp, thin knife cut a slit in each cake and insert in the centre a plump raisin, a bit of sliced citron and a lump of sugar, or a teaspoonful of any rich preserve. Wet the edges of the slit and press together closely. Let the doughnuts rise for half an hour, or until quite light and cook in a kettle of smoking-hot fat. This may be lard or lard drippings. It should be hot enough to color a bit of bread a light yellow as soon as it is dropped in.

The oly-kooks take about 10 minutes to cook, longer than an ordinary doughnut, on account of the fruit in the centre. They should be a tender golden brown when done. Lift out with a skimmer, drain and lay on soft brown paper to absorb the fat. Roll in powdered sugar and when cold set away in a stone jar. Old-fashioned cooks sometimes soak the oly-kooks in a little Santa Cruz rum and serve them with preserved peaches. In some old Knickerbocker families they are often served during the holidays with vanilla ice cream.

WIRELESS FOR SAFETY IN THE SAHARA.

The French military and colonial authorities are evolving a great scheme of wireless telegraphy, the object of which is to link up across the desert the west African possessions with the great colony of Algeria and thus bring them into direct communication with Paris. It was at first feared that the electric tension of the atmosphere, which has been frequently noted in the desert, would interfere with the propagation of the Hertzian waves. Experiments, however, which have been recently carried out at El Biod, Krebazza, Mecheria and Colomb Bechar prove conclusively that such is not the case, for, notwithstanding that the apparatus was of the most rudimentary character, it was found possible to receive not only the signals agreed upon from the post at Forte de Q L'Eau, near Algiers, but even communications emanating from certain English and great transatlantic stations. These experiments will now be continued at Elgolea and further south, but there seems no reason to doubt that in the near future the most distant posts occupied by the French in central Africa will be connected by wireless telegraphy.

This scheme, though it will precede, will nevertheless not supersede, the the older project of a trans-saharan telegraph line from Algeria to West Africa, which has already been partly surveyed, but which, from the fact that it will have to be carried over 1,000 miles of desert, will be a long and difficult operation. Its construction is recognized as more than ever necessary now that it is proposed to explore the regions of the Sahara in aeroplanes. Indeed, it is difficult to conceive it possible that an aviator would expose himself to the perils of the desert without stations to which he might repair in case of accidents.

The construction of the telegraph line, along which, at intervals of 200 or 250 miles, refuges would be erected where he might take in supplies or await a return of fair weather, would therefore serve a two-fold purpose. Then halting places would serve yet another end, in that they could be utilized as relay stations by the couriers already connecting the upper Niger and Algeria.

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AROUND RHODE ISLAND.

Society Women Enabled to Rescue Dresses Held Under Attachment.

Nominated for the Naval Academy—Juror Who Failed to Appear Reprimanded.

Judge Arthur L. Brown of the United States district court Saturday relieved a serious situation for a numerous company of society women of Providence, when he appointed a receiver for the dressmaking business of Mrs. Rose Carraer Eastman in whose establishment a large number of dresses in process of making for Christmas were in the possession of a deputy sheriff, acting under an attachment. Since financial difficulties brought about an attachment on Mrs. Eastman's shop many socially prominent women have been able to plead that they had "nothing to wear," in the customary meaning of the phrase, as the deputy sheriff, obeying orders, continued to "sit tight" on the stock found in the rooms. Relief came when the court heard the petition presented in behalf of certain creditors of Mrs. Eastman and appointed Alfred G. Chaffee receiver of the business. A bond of $15,000 was required. The creditors did not base their petition for a receiver wholly on grounds of gallantry, for they recited that "if the dresses now being made for the Christmas trade are not delivered by the alleged bankrupt, your petitioners will be unable to obtain benefit therefrom."

Woodbury Sprague Polleys, Jr., of Providence has been nominated, upon the recommendation of Senator Nelson W. Aldrich, as the principal for midshipman in the United States navy, and ordered to report for examinations for entrance to Annapolis on April 18 of next year. The announcement of his selection came from the Navy Department to young Polleys in the nature of a Christmas present from Uncle Sam. He had been spending the holiday at his father's home in Providence, having returned for a few days from Wilmer & Chew's School at Annapolis, where, since September, he has been preparing for the United States Naval Academy in the hope that he would receive the appointment. He is the 16 year-old son of Woodbury S. Polleys. For two years and a half he attended the Hope Street high school, where he was president of the 1912 English class. He also attended the Doyle Avenue grammar school and in both schools was regarded as an excellent student.

Alexander McLaughlin of Westerly was brought before Judge Stearns of the superior court Saturday because of his failure to obey a summons to appear for jury duty recently when Judge Brown was holding court for Washington county at Westerly. A writ of attachment had been issued against the man. It was stated to Judge Stearns that other cases of a similar character had hindered the work of the court in the South County to some extent of late, and it was thought time to make an example of somebody for the purpose of impressing upon men the importance of heeding the summons when they were ordered to appear in court as jurors. The court was told that McLaughlin left town after he received the summons in his case. After making some inquiries regarding the circumstances, Judge Stearns severely censured McLaughlin. He was allowed to go without paying a fine, but was required to pay the costs arising under the writ of attachment.

Rev. Dorrance B. Lothrop, pastor of the Essex Free Baptist Church of Bangor, Maine, has accepted the call to become pastor of the Roger Williams Free Baptist Church of Providence, to succeed Rev. Carter E. Cate, who recently resigned. His letter of acceptance was read at the morning service Sunday, when it was announced that he will come to Providence February 1. Rev. Mr. Lothrop's first pastorate was in this state, at the Carolina Free Baptist Church, in 1901. Since 1903 he has been at Bangor. He is a native of Maine, having been born in Chesterville in 1870. His college preparation was received at Maine Central Institute in Pittsfield, and from there he went to Yale, graduating in 1895. Three years were spent in teaching Latin at his preparatory school, and then, in 1901, he graduated from Yale Divinity School. Rev. Mr. Lothrop was married in 1901 to Myra T. Libby of Unity, Maine, and has two children, a son and a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ogden of Lonsdale attained the fiftieth milestone of their wedded life and observed the day pleasantly at their home, being visited by their children and grandchildren, as well as many friends and neighbors. Mr. Ogden and Miss Elizabeth Ann Gulliver were married at St. Mary's Church, Droylsden, Lancashire, England, December 24, 1860, and 13 years later came to live in Lonsdale, where they have been continuously since. Mr. Ogden was born in Bury, Lancashire, and is now in his seventy-third year, while his wife, who was born in Frome, Somersetshire, has reached her sixty-ninth year. Both are in perfect health and look many years younger than they are. Eleven children have been born to them, seven of whom are still alive. They have also 16 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Two wedding anniversaries were observed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bell in Quidnick Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Bell observing their golden wedding, while their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Howland of Hebronville, Mass., celebrated the twentieth anniversary of their wedding. Andrew Bell and Elizabeth Bettershaw were married at Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire, England, 50 years ago. In 1870 they came to Rhode Island, settling in the Pawtuxet Valley, where they have lived ever since. They have had five children, of whom four are living; 11 grandchildren and one great-grandchild. The party included relatives and friends from London, England, Taftville, Conn., and Fall River and Hebronville, Mass. About 20 sat down to a turkey dinner. At the feast one of the family with a brief speech presented a purse of gold to Mr. and Mrs. Bell.

Patents have been issued to the following Rhode Islanders: Thomas F. Carlisle, Providence, assignor to the Improved Seamless Wire Company, process for making seamless wire and wire for ornamental chains; Alfred B. Evans and F. Marcaurele, New Bedford, Mass., and F. R. Langlois, Woonsocket, combing machine; Thomas F. King, Jr., Pawtucket, and D. G. Hall, Cranston, policy file; Charles D. Lindridge, Providence, telephone operator; Samuel C. Humford and Harriette B. Munro, Bristol, game apparatus; Albert J. Thornley, assignor to Narragansett Machine Company, Pawtucket, locker construction.

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Newport, R. I., Dec. 12, 1910.

SIX BIG DISASTERS FOR 1911.

Prediction Based on Experience of American Red Cross in its World-Wide Work.

Six big disasters will occur in the United States in 1911. This is not the prediction of an astrologer but of the American Red Cross, the organization which conducts a larger work of relief among people stricken by great calamities than any other agency in the world. Experience has led the Red Cross to expect an average of five or six serious disasters in this country every year. It does not know where or when they will occur, or whether they will be caused by storm, or fire, or flood, or earthquake, or explosion. But it is sure that they will happen, just as one may be sure that 15 persons of every 1,000 now living will die in the next 12 months.

World-wide service to humanity was shown in reports presented at the recent national meeting of the American Red Cross in Washington. This organization, of which President Taft is the president, is recognized by the federal government as the official channel for the conduct of relief work wherever in the United States people suffer from the results of great calamities. But the Red Cross does not confine itself to relief operations in this country. Its field is the world.

Experience proves not only that an average of five or six disasters, severe enough to call for Red Cross help, may be expected to occur every year in the United States, but that the demands from other countries may be expected to be equally numerous. Some idea of the character and variety of these demands may be gained from the disasters with which the Red Cross dealt in the last 12 months. These included, in the United States, one hurricane, one mine fire, two mine explosions and forest fires in Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington and Minnesota; in foreign countries relief of starving captured soldiers in Nicaragua, floods in Mexico, France, Servia and Japan, the Armenian massacres and the earthquake in Costa Rica.

In the disasters above mentioned which occurred in the United States 500 lives were lost, while, approximately, 7,500 persons required immediate assistance. About 6,000 persons lost their homes by fire or hurricane. The money expended by the Red Cross in these relief operations in the United States was $196,900, and in foreign countries $66,500, a total of $262,500. Other relief funds expended in this country in conjunction with those of the Red Cross and according to its plans and methods amounted to $218,600, making the grand total relief expenditures of the year under Red Cross leadership, $480,500.

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New England Commercial Bank.
The Annual meeting of the Stockholders will be held Tuesday, January 3d, 1911, at three o'clock P. M.
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THE WEATHER.

BOSTON, Dec. 27, 8 A. M.—Forecast for Boston and vicinity—Generally cloudy tonight and Wednesday; light to moderate westerly winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The precipitation of the past 24 hours had been confined to light snow in New England and the northeast, and light rain in the northern Pacific coast states. This morning there is considerable cloudiness over nearly all sections. The barometer is highest over the Middle and South Atlantic states and New Brunswick. The lowest pressure is north of Lake Superior, and over New Mexico and northern Montana. The temperature is higher in eastern districts and without marked change elsewhere. In New England at 8 a. m. it ranged from between 12 and 20 degrees in northern interior parts to about 30 on the coast. At New York it was 28, Washington 30, Charleston 46, Jacksonville 46, St. Louis 32, Chicago 30, St. Paul 30, Des Moines 26, Kansas City 32, Denver 20, San Diego 44, San Francisco 46 and Portland, Oregon, 40.

J. W. Smith,
Forecast Official.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

	8 h	12 h	2 h
Temperature	33	37	39
Barometer	30.27	30.27	30.29
Wind	W	W	W
Weather	Clear	Haz	Hazy

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27.

Sun rises	7 h 12 m
Sun sets	4 h 21 m
Moon rises	3 h 34 m
Day's length	9 h 09 m
Day's increase	0 h 01 m
High water	4 h 35 m; 5 h 00 m

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 28.

Sun rises	7 h 12 m
Sun sets	4 h 22 m
Moon rises	4 h 37 m
Day's length	9 h 10 m
Day's increase	0 h 02 m
High water	5 h 18 m; 5 h 43 m

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29.

Sun rises	7 h 13 m
Sun sets	4 h 23 m
Moon rises	5 h 41 m
Day's length	9 h 10 m
Day's increase	0 h 02 m
High water	6 h 00 m; 6 h 28 m

Moon's Phases.

New Moon, Dec. 31, 11 h 22 m A. M.
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BORN.

GURNETT—On 23d inst., a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gurnett.
FISH—In Portsmouth, 24th inst., a son, to Mr. and Mrs. Isaac L. Fish, Jr.

DIED.

BRIGHAM—In this city, 26th inst., Henry Coleman son of Olive and the late Thomas Brigham, aged 39 years. Funeral at the First Baptist Church, Wednesday, Dec. 28, at 2 P. M. Relatives and friends are invited.
WASHBURN—In this city, 27th inst., Sarah Vose, wife of Arthur H. Washburn.
COBBETT—In this city, 27th inst., Johana, wife of John Corbett, at 19 Stockholm street.
MALCOM—At his late residence, 512 Park street, Upper Montclair, N. J., Dec. 25th, Howard Malcom, younger son of the late Charles Howard Malcom, D. D., and Margaretta Mackay.
STEWART—In New York, 26th inst., William, son of the late James C. Stewart.
Funeral services at the Belmont Memorial Chapel, Island Cemetery, tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 1 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.
ALFREDS—In Providence, 26th inst., Susan W., widow of Isaac J. Alfreds.
CORNELL—In Providence, 26th inst., William A. Cornell, in his 79th year.
EARLE—In Providence, 26th inst., Emma E., wife of George A. Earle.
GREENE—In Providence, 26th inst., Annie L., daughter of Olney and the late Annie Greene.
WEAVER—In Providence, 26th inst., Martha M., widow of Edwin Weaver, in her 83d year.
CRANSHAW—In Arlington, 26th inst., William Cranshaw, in his 18th year.
LITTLEFIELD—In Pawtucket, 25th inst., Rebecca Northup, widow of Alfred H. Littlefield, in her 78th year.
LYONS—In Fall River, 24th inst., Mary T. Lyons.

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TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH.

Notice of Applications for Liquor Licenses and Tavern Licenses.

The following-named persons have made application to the Town Council of the Town of Portsmouth for liquor licenses under the provisions of the General Laws and public laws of the State of Rhode Island to sell pure, spirituous, intoxicating and malt liquors within the limits of the Town of Portsmouth, namely:
Richard Duckworth, on his own premises Park Avenue.
Key Duckworth in a building to be erected corner of Cedar Avenue and Park avenue on Park avenue.
Joseph F. Sullivan at Island Cottage, Park avenue.
Edward F. Barrett on the premises of John W. Cain, Park avenue.
The Town Council of the Town of Portsmouth will be in session at the Town Hall at said Town of Portsmouth on Wednesday, Dec. 28, 1910, at 7:30 P. M., when opportunity will be given remonstrants to be heard before acting upon said application.
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Aquidneck National Bank.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held at the Banking Rooms, on Tuesday, January 10, 1911, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for such other business that may lawfully come before the meeting.
TITUS B. CONDON, Cashier.
Newport, R. I., December 16, 1910.

A TWO DAYS' CHRISTMAS.

Double Celebration Sunday and Monday Throughout the City.

In the Churches, in the Homes, and in Various Ways the Anniversary Observed.

The two days' celebration of Christmas was general in Newport. Sunday, the real Christmas day, was observed by special services in the churches appropriate to the day, with elaborate musical programs, decorations and sermons on the lessons of the Christmas-tide. In addition to the regular services many of the Sunday Schools had special programs and at the Channing Memorial there was musical vespers with a cantata by an augmented choir.

In the larger number of homes the children and adults had their Christmas gifts, for it seemed almost impossible to keep the younger members of the family from at least "looking" at their presents, while the older ones were not altogether loth to allow the children a full enjoyment of the day and its pleasures, and to share in these pleasures themselves. In many homes there were family gatherings, and many others were made glad by gifts, so that there was a general observance of the occasion on Sunday.

Monday was the legal holiday, and the pleasures of Christmas were continued throughout the day. Business was generally suspended, except in such shops as cater directly to Christmas trade. The streets were quiet and orderly, and at no time were there large crowds on the streets, except when the basket ball games were over and the moving picture shows were ended. There were fewer public social events than ordinarily and the day on the street was unusually quiet; in fact, it was so quiet that some were inclined to complain of the monotony of the day. At the forts and Training Station special programs were arranged for the soldiers and sailors, and there were fewer than usual of the service men on the streets.

The entertainment of the telegraph messenger boys at the Young Men's Christian Association was a feature of the day, at least for the boys, but there were no other general entertainments. There were numerous family gatherings in the homes, and the day was spent quite largely in the exchange of Christmas visits. No general provision had been made for caring for the poor, the gifts of the Salvation Army being the only thing of this kind this year, and this giving was so quietly done that few knew of it except the recipients. At the Newport Hospital, City Asylum and Home for Friendless Children special Christmas dinners were served and few in the city were without something to give them a taste of Christmas cheer.

EXTEND FRATERNAL GREETINGS.

Members of Washington Commandery Observe Christmas With Speeches and Toasts.

According to a custom of many years' standing, the members of Washington Commandery, No. 4, Knights Templar, assembled with their wives and daughters in the asylum in Masonic Temple Monday, to observe Christmas and to extend fraternal greetings to the grand master of the order, the grand commander of Massachusetts and Rhode Island and other commanderies. The members were present in large numbers, assembling at 11 o'clock for a short season of fraternal greetings.

Shortly before 12 o'clock Eminent Commander William Champion called the assembly to order and read the toast and greeting to the Most Eminent Grand Master William Bromwell Melish, the greeting being as follows:

"To Our Most Eminent Grand Master, William Bromwell Melish—May this administration be fortunate, and may our brotherhood fully realize our mission to feed the hungry, clothe the naked and bind up the wounds of the afflicted in the name of our Lord and Maker, Immanuel, whose birth we celebrate."

Past Grand Commander John P. Sanborn gave the response to the toast, Past Commander Clark Burdick the Christmas toast of Washington Commandery to Temple Commandery of Albany, N. Y., Past Commander Elbert A. Sisson responded to the toast to the grand commander of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, Sir Knight Arthur B. Commerford to those who had died during the year, and Past Commander Overton G. Langley to the ladies. Sir Knight Robert S. Burlingame acted as toastmaster. During the meeting a Christmas greeting from Rev. Aquila Webb, Ph. D., of Louisville, was received.

Between the speeches there were vocal selections by Miss Cora M. Gosling, Miss Beulah Knowles and Mr. Daniel U. Boone, with Mr. Henry S. Hendy accompanying, and afterwards general singing, Mrs. Thatcher T. Bowler and Mr. Hendy accompanying. The exercises closed with the singing of "Onward, Christian Soldiers."

OPERA HOUSE CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Manager Ellis E. Holmes of the Opera House received a silver-headed leopard wood cane from the employes as a Christmas gift. At the close of the afternoon performance he was called to the stage, to attend, as he supposed, to some matters relating to the theatre. He was surprised to find all the house employes gathered, and more surprised when Mr. Carena of the Carena Trio, which was performing at the house, made the presentation. A surprise was also in store for Stage Manager Frederick Lewis, who was presented with a willow rocker in behalf of the stage hands. A general interchange of Christmas gifts followed the presentations.

CHRISTMAS FOR THE AMERICAN SAILORS IN FRANCE.

The municipality of Cherbourg arranged an interesting entertainment for the American Bluejackets Christmas day. This included a torchlight parade and a Christmas tree, souvenirs being distributed to each of the men. The day was celebrated by the sailors of the Third division of the United States fleet, at Brest, with elaborate festivities. They were the guests at dinner of the sailors of the naval depot.

The municipality of Brest gave a brilliant reception in honor of Rear Admiral Murdock and the officers of the Third division of the fleet. About 500 persons attended the reception.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. W. T. Bull, Jr., is to go abroad next month.

—Mr. William Weiner has returned to New York. Miss Nettie Weiner is in New York, visiting her sister, Mrs. Abram.

—Mr. Norman Whitney has gone to Meriden, Conn.

—Mr. W. E. Plantz, U. S. N., is visiting his family in town.

—Mr. Jesse Almy has returned from a visit to Peabody, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. Goodman are in New York for the holidays.

—Mrs. B. H. Richards is here from New York to visit her parents.

—Officer Casey, who has been ill 19 days, is able to return to duty.

—Mr. Sydney J. Greason of New York is here to visit his mother.

—Colonel Silas H. Hazard is visiting his daughter in Providence.

—The staging has been removed from the front of the Colonial Theatre.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jacobs and their daughter, Miss Jacobs, are visiting in the West.

—Mrs. Thomas E. Hunt is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Hunt in Lonsdale for a week.

—Mrs. Purcell, wife of Landlord Purcell of the Perry House is visiting relatives in Syracuse.

—Messrs. Harry Alger and Leonard Pike are spending their Christmas vacation in Philadelphia.

—Fishing schooner Tecumseh was in this morning, with 14,000 pounds of fresh fish, chiefly haddock.

—Mr. Allison Stone, brother of the late Rev. Henry Morgan Stone, is a visitor here from Providence.

—Mrs. DeForest Danielson, Miss North and Mrs. Ellen French Vanderbilt left for Providence today.

—Mrs. Eugene Hall, Jr., Mr. Frederick Godwin and Mr. Roderick Terry, Jr., are visiting at "Linden Gate."

—Mr. Elmer E. Leonard and family of Westerly spent Christmas with his father, Driver Leonard of Hose 5.

—Among the Christmas home-comers were Hugh L. Taylor, from Washington, and M. J. Murphy, from New Bedford.

—Chief Boatswain's Mate Harry Harrington of the Wolverine stationed at Erie, Pa., is visiting his family here.

—Mrs. M. A. Ross of Narragansett avenue gave the employes of the Old Colony Street Railway Company cigars for Christmas.

—The old time ball dropped on time this noon, but the new and more conspicuous one failed to trip and hung up for some time.

—Mr. George A. Hull, a well known citizen of New Shoreham, was brought here this morning from the Island to be operated upon at the Newport Hospital.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moran and J. D. Hovey of Boston and Frank G. Draper and H. L. Smith of New York are registered at the United States Hotel.

—Admiral French E. Chadwick has been invited by the civic authorities of Brockton to give a paper on the city charter of Newport in that city January 3.

—Mr. W. S. Morgan, formerly commercial teacher at the Rogers High School and now of New York, is spending the holidays as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Langley.

—At Fort Greble Christmas morning Chaplain Denning had midnight mass for the men at the post. The place was decorated with greens and white and looked pretty and suggestive of the season.

—While returning from the Parish school, of which she is the teacher, Miss Adelaide C. Fadden slipped on the sidewalk last week and injured her hip. She expects to be able to resume her work next week.

—Mr. J. Eugene Littlefield of New Shoreham, who has been at the Newport Hospital several weeks after a serious operation for appendicitis, has so far recovered that he was able today to see a few visitors.

—Among those at home for the holidays are Edward F. Murphy, an instructor in the School of Design, New York, and Boiler Maker John Pickett, formerly of the Mississippi and now of Philadelphia.

—W. E. Floyd and Louis E. Allard of Boston, J. J. Clifford of Washington, W. E. Marshall and E. P. Hubbard of New York, Edward Sawyer of Newark, N. J., and G. L. Davis of Boston are registered at the Perry House.

—The choir of Emmanuel Church, under the direction of Mr. Henry S. Hendy, sang Christmas carols at the Newport Hospital Sunday afternoon, singing in both the men's and women's wards to the great pleasure of the patients.

—There is skating on the ponds, but no ice cutting. The ice at Lily pond was reduced by the fog and thaw from something over nine to 5 inches and all thoughts of cutting disappeared. The ice was so thin in spots that the skaters did not venture on it.

—The Tuft family was taken to the police station Sunday on charges of mutual assault; both pleaded guilty and Robert had the advantage of Barinda, for he secured bail. Two insane persons were sent to the state asylum, after certificates from the examining doctors had been given to the court.

—Mr. Wendell E. Barker now announces that he is a candidate for spare man as gate keeper at Poplar street. This seems to be a new office. There is one spare man to help out the two gate keepers, and of course he must substitute for both keepers, to give them relief from the too long hours they formerly worked.

—Rear Admiral Thomas H. Howard, U. S. N., and Mrs. Howard, of Annapolis, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Grace Laurens Howard, to Lieutenant Commander James P. Morton, U. S. N. The date of the wedding has not been fixed. Lieutenant Commander Morton commands torpedo boat destroyer Flusser, and was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1895.

—The funeral of Olando Lathrop took place here Sunday afternoon on the arrival of the 3 o'clock train from Boston. The interment was in the City cemetery and was attended by a delegation from Boston and by many friends in this city. The deceased was a son of the late Captain Enos Lathrop, and was well known in Newport, though he had been employed in the railroad yards in Boston, where he died, for years.

—Manager Mathews of the Adams Express office gave his men their annual Christmas dinner at the Philadelphia restaurant. This Manager Mathews has done for some years past, and it gives all the men an opportunity for a social time about the festive board, after the rush and hurry and long hours of the Christmas trade. The men show that they are good eaters, and they are entitled to it after the hard work of the season.

—A. O'D. Taylor has sold for Mrs. A. M. Albro a lot of land on Van Zandt avenue, containing 3,650 square feet, to Robert Wolfenden. This lot is bounded north, 45 feet, on Van Zandt avenue, east, 80 feet, on Albro street; south 46 feet on land J. P. Fritz and west, 80 feet, on land of Molteno. Mr. Taylor has rented for W. B. Vernon and others the unfurnished cottage and grounds at 14 Arrault street to Herman W. F. Merle.

PONDS SHOW GOOD GAIN.

Saturday's Rain and Thaw Did Great Things for the Reduced Water Supply.

That rain and thaw which prevailed Saturday and continued through Saturday night, spoiling considerable of the Christmas trade, finally petered out into a mild snowstorm. This began just before midnight, so that there was snow on Christmas, though it was light. Sunday the sun shone brightly and the temperature was up to 35 at 2 p. m. Monday was not such a fine day. It made several attempts at showing at 5 and again at 9 p. m., the latetr being the best effort, though it gave only a thin veneer to the ground. Then the wind shifted to southwest this morning and the thawing began again.

The total rainfall Saturday was 1.14 inches. This, with the melted snow, made quite a difference to the ponds. The north or Green End is up 11 inches and this morning was only 100 inches below high-water mark, the south pond gained three inches, and the pond at Paradise—Nelson pond, it is called—has gained 45 inches. Its low record was 137½ inches below high-water mark, and now it is 109 inches down.

These figures show that the rain did great things for the water supply, and while it is still far below the standard it is much better than it has been for a long time. The streams are still flowing and the chances are that from now on there will be a gain rather than a loss. Still, this does not mean that the Water Works has yet water to throw away and a little care on the part of the users will help maintain the ponds at a safe standard until additional water comes in. This it is hoped will be soon.

CHRISTMAS IN THE CHURCHES.

Cantata at the Thames Street Methodist and Festival at the Swedish Lutheran.

At the Thames Street Methodist Episcopal Church, Sunday evening, before a large and appreciative audience, the Sunday School presented the appropriate and pretty cantata, "The Children of Bethlehem," and elaborate and pleasing portrayal of the significance of the true Christmas spirit. The costuming and musical numbers were especially well done, in the hands of those seemingly capable of rendering the many difficult parts to best advantage. The solo of little Miss Hazel Bailey, the Fishermen's Chorus by four small boys, and the elocution of Miss Bessie Goddard, as the Angel appearing before King Herod, while he slept, proclaiming the birth of Christ, the greatest of Kings, were worthy of much credit. The work of Misses Florence Barker, Annie Northup, Zellie Sisson and Grace Clarke and Messrs. Clifton Tallman and George Peckham was exceptionally well done. At the conclusion of the cantata, appropriate remarks were made by the superintendent, Mr. Harry A. Titus.

The Swedish Lutheran Church and Sunday School had its Christmas festival in the church on Corne street Monday evening. The exercises opened with a solo by the congregation, followed by reading and prayer by the pastor, Rev. H. Myreen, and a selection by the choir. There were recitations by Esther Ericson, Lily Eden, Edwin Stoljun, John Ericson, Avva Eden, Leonard Bloom, Celia Johnson, Rueben Eden, George Ericson, Frederick Johnson, Theodore Bloom, Oscar Larson, John Falkenholm, Albert Stohlberg, Agnes Johnson, Signi Falkenholm, Thomas Lawton, Ethel Johnson and Hannah Johnson. These were interspersed with a dialogue by George and Esther Ericson and piano selections by Francis Johnson and Hannah Johnson. There was a brilliantly illuminated Christmas tree, and Christmas decorations in the church, lighted candles in each window being a feature. The children received books, fruit and candies.

EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION OBSERVANCE.

For a number of years Rev. W. B. Reed, of the Mt. Olivet Baptist Church, has joined the patriotic members of his race in celebrating Emancipation Proclamation day and several of his speeches on these occasions have been printed in pamphlet form. The day will be appropriately observed January 2, at the Mt. Olivet Church. Dr. W. H. Mathews will preside, Patriotic songs will be sung by the choir. Mr. D. B. Allen will offer prayer, Dr. M. Alonzo Van Horn will read the Emancipation Proclamation. Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg Speech will be read by Miss Mabel Yoszoff and Rev. W. B. Reed will make an address. Veterans of the Union army have been invited to be guests of honor and have seats on the platform.

CHRISTMAS AT THE UNITED STATES HOTEL

The Christmas tree at the United States Hotel for the guests of the house who were unable to go to their homes, and which was managed by Messrs. Jordan and Wolin, proved a great success for the little party which made merry in the parlors of the hotel. It filled in where there would otherwise have been a void, though to those who remained in Newport there was a little disappointment that so many of the permanent guests of the house were away. Mr. Tracy Jordan and Boatswain F. D. Bakely, U. S. N., added greatly to the pleasure of the occasion by rendering musical selections, while Mr. John J. Jones was on hand with a victor machine and a large assortment of records.

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COUNCILMAN MULLER RESIGNS.

Lively Canvass Among Several Candidates for a Vacancy in the Fourth Ward Delegation.

Mr. Richard Muller, a member of the Representative Council from the Fourth ward, has sent his resignation to the city clerk, having accepted a position in Washington. Mr. Muller's term has still two years to run, but the vacancy will be filled for only one year, or until there is a regular city election. The charter provides that a vacancy shall be filled by the delegation from the ward in which it occurs. The present members and the members-elect from the Fourth ward will make a selection from several candidates, and present it to the Representative Council at its meeting next Monday. There is said to be a lively canvass in behalf of several men.

JAMESTOWN.

(Regular correspondence of the News.)

The third round in the second series of club whists was played Monday evening in the "Den" on Clinton avenue, team No. 3 winning by a score large enough to take it from second place to eight points in the lead. Messrs. G. D. Anthony and H. S. Stubbs scored the only slam made as yet in the two series. The score was as follows: Team No. 1, won 51, total 173; team No. 2 won 59, total 142; team No. 3 won 64, total 183.

Cleero Dodge, who was taken from the fire at his home Friday night, was removed to the Newport Hospital Saturday evening, suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Watson, Jr., who were guests of Mr. Watson's parents for Christmas, have returned to New York.

Mr. Kenneth Knowles has returned to Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Potter, who have been visiting the latter's parents, Captain and Mrs. C. L. Champlin, have returned to Providence.

Mr. Edward Hoyle and family of Newport spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clarke.

Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Furrows have returned from a short visit to Providence.

SALTSMAN—MASON.

The marriage of Miss Abbie Mason of this city to Mr. Norman Saltsman of Fostoria, Ohio, took place Monday afternoon at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Reynor, on Warner street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. N. J. Sproul and owing to the recent death in the bride's family, the occasion was very quiet, with only a few to witness the marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Saltsman left last evening on the boat for New York and from there will make an extended trip in the South and West, expecting to reside at Fostoria, Ohio, where they will reside. Mr. Saltsman is an official of the Commercial Bank and Savings Company of Fostoria and interested in the oil fields of Northwestern Ohio.

THE VALADONS AT THE BIJOU.

There were crowded houses at the Bijou Theatre Monday afternoon and evening, many being turned away, as neither seats nor standing room was available. "The Valadons" give a novelty wire cycling act in which there is much interest, as "The Valadons" in private life are Daniel Sullivan and family. Mr. Sullivan was formerly a Newport boy, and many of his friends were glad of the opportunity to see him in this act, which has proved successful in all parts of the country. Lawrence & Wright in a comedy, singing and dancing, were well received and enthusiastically applauded. David Marlowe in his new song, "Girl Of Mine," was obliged to respond to an encore each time he sang.

The pictures include two Biographs, "A Trap for Santa Claus," a Christmas story and "A Child's Stratagem." In both these pictures are seen clever child actors. The other pictures are "The Cowboys and the Bachelor Girls," a humorous mix-up on a Western ranch, with a group of cowboys, and a party of girls sworn to receive no attentions from men, as the principal factors in the picture; "The Tale the Mirror Told, and a comedy entitled "What a Dinner."

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Many Suggested in Case Republicans Fail to Unite on a United States Senator.

[Providence Journal.]

Politicians who have been watching the progress of affairs in the state believe that when the first ballot is taken January 11 for the election of a United States Senator there will be a deadlock in the General Assembly. They do not hesitate to say that neither Judge Colt nor Henry F. Lippitt can be elected, and that if the Republicans wish to save the situation they must name some compromise candidate who will be acceptable to the friends of each of the two men mentioned.

While nobody believes that this means that any of the supporters either of Mr. Lippitt or Judge Colt will desert their candidate, it is generally agreed among the Republican leaders that no such deadlock as prevented the election of a Senator in 1901 must be allowed to result. They say that some Republicans must be elected at the next session of the legislature, and should it become apparent that neither of the two present candidates can be elected there will be no hesitation in naming a dark horse.

Several men have already been spoken of in various places and by persons whose opinions have weight in the councils of the party. The names most heard are those of former Justice Charles C. Mumford, Walter E. Angell and Associate Justice William H. Sweetland of the state supreme court.

Others spoken of as dark horses, with strong possibilities of one of them being accepted as the candidate, are Colonel Frank W. Matteson, George E. Shepley, former Chief Justice William W. Douglas of the supreme court and William L. Hodgman.

In the southern part of the state some Republicans are declaring that should there be a deadlock in the General Assembly they will urge their representatives to try to bring about the election of Congressman-elect George H. Utter of Westerly.

THE ENGLISH GREAT SEAL.

[Tit-Bits.]

Whenever a new monarch ascends the throne it becomes necessary to provide a new Great Seal of Great Britain, the emblem of sovereignty, which is appended to the most important class of public documents, such as writs for summoning Parliament, treaties and official acts of state. The Great Seal, like the new coinage, is struck at the mint, and is usually made of silver, although there have been occasions when gold has been used.

The Great Seal of King Edward was of silver, six inches in diameter, and cost just over £400. It was the minute work involved in designing the Great Seal which made it so costly.

Generally speaking, the Great Seal lasts for about 10 years, by which time it becomes somewhat worn, the consequence being that the impression is imperfect. No fewer than four were made for Queen Victoria, several of them being in use for a considerable time. A new one was made for her late majesty in 1838, after her accession, others being necessary in 1850, 1878 and finally in 1900, the last three costing £413, £513, and £400, respectively.

The old Great Seal is one of the perquisites of the lord chancellor's office, and is handed over to him after being slightly defaced by the reigning monarch. On the delivery of the new Great Seal by the mint, a meeting of the king in council is summoned, at which it is handed over to the charge of the lord chancellor by the king. The old Great Seal then undergoes a process called "disinteering." The king simply gives it a gentle blow with a hammer, just sufficient to make a slight but distinguishing mark, after which his majesty presents it to the lord chancellor.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Riggs spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George H. Riggs.

—Mr. John Coffey of cruiser Washington, spent Christmas with his mother in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mye are spending the holidays in Chicago, visiting Mr. Mye's relatives.

—Miss Blanch A. Cowles is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pettitt in Boston.

—Mr. William Homer Leavitt is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Leavitt, on Pelham street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wardley of New York are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Gibson.

—Dr. and Mrs. Williston W. Barker spent Christmas with Dr. Barker's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Christopher F. Barker.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Hass (Miss Edith Hodgson) were guests over Christmas of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Hass.

—Miss Louise Nissen of Simmons College, Boston, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nissen.

—Mr. William D. Cook, who came to spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Frederick Cook, returned to New York, Monday night.

—John L. Healy of Yale University is spending his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Healy, on Harrison avenue.

—Dr. and Mrs. Roderick McLeod (Miss Josephine Perry) spent the holidays with Mr. Angus McLeod and Mr. and Mrs. Gardner S. Perry.

—At the carol services at Trinity Church Sunday afternoon Rev. William L. Essex addressed the pupils of the Sunday School on the lessons of the incarnation.

—Monday Miss Peckham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Peckham, picked a handsome pansy, about the size of a half-dollar, which she found blooming in her garden on Newport avenue.

—Miss Jessie Johnstone entertained at her home on Fountain street Monday evening Miss Alice of Boston sang several solos, accompanied by Mr. Hynes on the piano and Mr. Campbell on the violin.

—Mrs. William Grosvenor gave a Christmas dinner at her residence in Providence Saturday night for her guests, who include Miss Rosa A. Grosvenor of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Davis of New York.

—Among the Christmas gifts to Emmanuel Church was a check for $1,500 from Mrs. John Nicholas Brown, of which $1,000 is to be made a permanent fund, the income of which is to be used for the support of the church, and $500 for current expenses.

—Mrs. Richard Townsend gave a dinner in Washington Saturday, followed by a Christmas tree party, for Mr. and Mrs. Peter Goelet Gerry, who are spending the holidays with her. At the dinner were a few of Mr. and Mrs. Gerry's intimate friends, including the Danish minister and Countess Moltke, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Gibson, Miss Isabelle May and Mr. Horstmann, of the German Embassy. More persons were invited to the Christmas tree.

POLITICS AND EATING.

No Record of Any Man Reaching the White House by Banquets.

Taft's Judicial Appointments Are Being Closely Scrutinized by Progressive Senators.

[Washington Correspondence of The News.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—No one of my acquaintance can recall that any man has ever been made President through the instrumentality of feeding. In fact, if I were managing a Presidential quantity I should keep him away from dinners and luncheons and other political feeding occasions. Looking back over the list of men who have become Presidents, I cannot find in the history of a single one one who has been advanced by a big feed.

We can all recall that Blaine was destroyed at a hotel by a Burchard alliterative remark. We all know of the various political dinners at which Bryan has been a guest. Not long ago there was a contest as to whether he should attend a humble dollar dinner or a more expensive $10 affair. It always seems to be the desire of some politicians to mix food with their politics. They are constantly getting up dinners and inviting prominent men to be present. They gather ostensibly to eat, but the real purpose is politics, to promote some man's political fortunes. "Get up a dinner and launch his boom" is the first thought that seems to come into their heads.

Before any delegates were elected to the last Democratic National Convention Senator Newlands of Nevada had Bryan at two successive dinners at his home in Washington, the first attended by half the Democratic membership of the Senate, while the remainder were at the second dinner. Politics and food were thoroughly mixed on these occasions.

Governor Harmon, the most prominent figure in Democratic circles today, came to Washington and attended a political luncheon given by Congressman Francis Burton Harrison, to which were bidden a portion of the Democratic membership of the House. Harmon stock took a decided tumble on that date. Those who were not invited were sore, and Harmon, through no fault of his own, is made to suffer. He is not yet a victim of the big feed, but has received the first thrust of the fatal weapon.

President Taft has tried to satisfy Senators in the matter of his judicial appointments; but with all the care he exercised he seems to have failed, for several progressive Senators have insisted upon scrutinizing the decisions and opinions of the men selected with a great deal of care. President Harrison was fortunate in his judicial selections. President Cleveland had two Supreme Court justice nominations rejected. President McKinley never had any difficulty, but the appointments of President Roosevelt were often criticised. The only objection to several men recently named by the President for judicial appointments is that they are not progressive enough to suit the advanced views of several Senators of Insurgent leanings. It is rather strange that men who have been carefully considered by the Department of Justice and the President should be found objectionable to Senators, but it sometimes happens.

The wishes of the people are supposed to be voiced in the petitions which are presented to Congress. This would no doubt be true if a great many were not of the "manufactured" kind—that is, printed and sent broadcast for signatures with the hope that they will influence Congress. Labor organizations in different parts of the country are asking Congress to remove the tax on oleomargarine, but it is doubtful if that kind of legislation will be even attempted. Humane organizations, women's clubs and other societies are asking legislation to prevent the spread of tuberculosis through dairy products. Such petitions incline Congress to consider the advisability of establishing a department of health. Most of the fraternal organizations throughout the country are asking for legislation which will admit their publications to the second class mail privileges. Petitions in favor of the parcels post and protests against an increase on second class mail have begun to become in, while now and then there is a paper presented demanding the immediate revision of the tariff.

"There is no show for a poor but honest Democrat," said a man from West Virginia. "For years we have been saying that we ought not to be represented in the Senate by millionaires like Elkins and Scott and that we would give the poor but honest Democrat a chance when we had a chance. But the fact is that every Democratic candidate for the Senate is a man of several millions."

Arthur W. Dunn.

MR. SHEFFIELD'S PENSION BILLS

Congressman Sheffield has introduced in the House of Representatives bills providing increased pensions for the following citizens of Providence: Joanna McCarthy, widow of Timothy McCarthy, late of Company C, Fifth Rhode Island volunteer heavy artillery, to $24; Charles Potter, Company C, Third Massachusetts volunteer heavy artillery, $30; William H. Dean, lieutenant of Company E, Third Rhode Island heavy artillery, to $30; Lucy A. Hopkins, widow of E. P. Smith, late of Company D, Second Rhode Island volunteer infantry, $24; Catherine Johnson, widow of John Johnson, late of Company D, Twenty-eighth Massachusetts volunteer infantry, $24; Susan Keenan, widow of Hugh Keenan, late of the United States navy and Rhode Island Volunteer heavy artillery, to $30.

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Leave MILE CORNER, for Morton Park—6 a. m., and every 15 minutes to 11 p. m. Sundays—8:30 a. m. then same as week days. Return—Leave Morton Park—6:22 a. m., then every 15 minutes to 11:22 p. m. Sundays—6:52 a. m. then same as week days.

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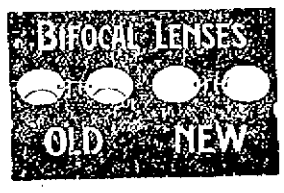

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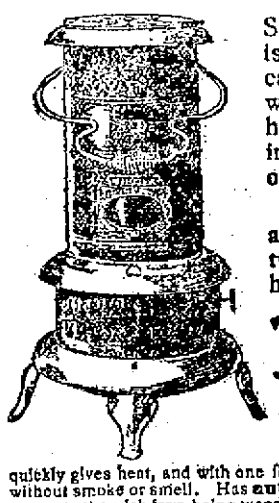

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Leave Union Station, Providence, for Newport—9:15, 10:15, 11:15 A. M., 12:15, 1:15, 2:15, 3:15, 4:15, 5:15, 6:15 P. M. 9:40 from Bristol Ferry to Newport.

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RESERVES LOSE BOTH.

Show to Better Advantage in First Crescent Game Than in Second.

Galahad Tigers Defeat St. John's Juniors and Then Entertain Them at Dinner.

The Reserves lost two basket ball games Monday to the strong Crescent team of Paterson, N. J. The afternoon game was a closely contested and lively affair, in which the Reserves showed to much better advantage than had been expected and the spectators were given a good exhibition of fast play, in which the visitors excelled somewhat, winning 28 to 20. In the evening it was different. There was a great deal of holding, the visitors showed their superior condition and team work, and at the very close had the Reserves on the run. Roche was all in and the visitors had no trouble in scoring almost at will. Yet it was a good game to watch, for the visitors showed style, skill and activity and the spectators could see the real form.

The attendance was fairly good. The afternoon game was well attended for an afternoon, but it was an idle day; in the evening the attendance was not what it might have been, yet it was a great improvement over some games past. It really looks as though first-class basket ball was over in Newport, yet it was announced that another try will be made, when the strong Troy team, the old Gloversville crowd, will play. Troy is drawing 4,000 spectators to its games in the Hudson River League, which gives some idea of the way basket ball is taking in that section.

For a time it looked as though there might not be a game, as there were but four players. The rules of the City League will not permit any of the Naval Reserve Tigers to play with the Reserves, and the fifth man was missing when the time set had arrived. Finally McManus was secured and the game started. He was out of practice but did fairly well in the afternoon.

The speed shown in the first game counted against the locals in the evening, and they were not in it for too much was required of some of the players in holding the fast Crescents—they certainly are fast and good shooters and had the shift plays. A look at the summary will show that the visitors did what the Reserves have so long been doing to visiting teams, made the most shots. They were playing around the same team, but the latter in the afternoon game played in great style and fairly outdid themselves, though the work counted against them in the second game.

McNabb was the star performer in both games. He had a way of sneaking through for a free shot, and was great in counting, making some excellent shots. Harvey was held down in both games so that he scarcely had one good shot. Palmer made a good showing, but showed a tendency to pass instead of shooting when he had a chance. In the second game Shea made perhaps the prettiest shot of the day.

In the afternoon the Reserves started the scoring and at the end of the first 10 minutes it was a tie at 6 each, while at the end of the first half the Reserves led, 10 to 8. In the second half McNabb scored five baskets and his team led, 20 to 10.

In the evening the Reserves also started the scoring and at the end of 10 minutes play the score stood 7-5 in favor of the visitors. They led at the end of the first half, 16 to 7, and in the second had a walkover, scoring 21 points to 5 for the Reserves. The summary:

Crescents.	Reserves.
McNabb, l. f.,	r. b., McManus.
Love, r. f.,	l. b., Shea.
Hill, c.,	c., Palmer.
Biggane, l. b.,	r. f., Roche
Wallum, r. b.,	l. f., Harvey.

Score—Crescents 28; Reserves 20. Baskets—McNabb 7, Love 1, Hill 1, Wallum 3; Harvey 1, Roche 2, Palmer 3, Shea 1. From fouls—McNabb 1, Hill 1, Biggane 1, Wallum 1; Harvey 1, Roche 1, Palmer 1, Shea 3. Missed foul tries—McNabb 1, Love 1; McManus 1. Missed field tries—Crescents 34 and 31—64; Reserves 25 and 18—43. Referee—McMahon. Twenty-minute halves.

Crescents.	Reserves.
McNabb, l. f.,	r. b., McManus
Love, r. f.,	l. b., Shea.
Hill, c.,	c., Palmer.
Wallum, l. b.,	r. f., Roche
Biggane r. f.,	l. f., Harvey.

Score—Crescents 37; Reserves 13. Baskets—McNabb 6, Love 2, Hill 8, Wallum 5, Biggane 1; Harvey 1, Roche 2, Palmer 1, Shea 1. From fouls—McNabb 3; Roche 2, Shea 1. Missed foul tries—McNabb, Love, Biggane, 1 each; Harvey, Roche, McManus 1 each, Shea 2. Missed field tries—Crescents—29 and 31—60; Reserves 20 and 24—44. Referee—McMahon.

Monday the younger members of the Galahad Club of Trinity Church entertained the St. John's Juniors of Providence, after rather ungraciously beating the basket ball team in a game in the afternoon. The visitors arrived shortly before noon and were taken to the guild house, and then to visit points of interest about the city.

The basket ball game was played late in the afternoon, the Galahad Tigers winning by a score of 42 to 12. The game was fast and exciting, but in the first half the Galahads fairly ran away from their opponents, the score at the end being 20 to 4 in favor of the local team. In the second the visitors put in two new players and the game was more even, the Galahads again, however, outplaying the St. John's boys, making 12 points to eight. The line-up was as follows:

Galahad Tigers	St. John's Juniors.
Rodda, r. f.	l. b., Swanson, Hell
Clarke, l. f	r. b., Bansfield, Keller
Mullin, c.	c., Patterson
Ellis, r. b.	l. f. Ferguson
Goddard, l. b.	r. f., Doris

Score—Galahad Tigers 42; St. John's Juniors 12. Goals fro mthe floor—Rodda 5, Clarke 5, Mullin 7, Goddard 4; Swanson, Kelley, Patterson, Doris 2. Goals from fouls—Doris 2. Referee—H. Robinson. Timekeepers—Rev. Mr. Essex and Rev. Mr. Johns. Scorers—T. Clarke and E. Swanson.

At 6 o'clock a banquet was served to the two teams. Rev. Stanley C. Hughes officiated, related by Rev. William L. Essex and Rev. Harold Johns. It was a turkey dinner, with all the accompaniments, and was much enjoyed. After the dinner speeches were in order. Rev. Mr. Hughes spoke of "The Sportsman Losing a Game, Rev. Mr. Johns of "Buffalo Bill's First Trip to Paris," President Edward Swanson of the Providence club of the "Trip of the Galahads to Providence," Thomas Clarke, manager of the Galahad Tigers, of the success of the entertainment of the Providence boys; Manager Doris of the Providence team of the day's pleasures, Harry Swanson told a story and Rev. Mr. Essex concluded with a pleasing address to the boys. Following the speaking there was dancing and games. The success of the entertainment was due in a large measure to the efforts of Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Brown, and the Misses Brown and Stenholm.

DANISH BROTHERHOOD CELEBRATES.

The Danish Brotherhood Society had a Christmas tree, social and dance for the members of their families and friends Monday evening. There was a large tree in the centre of the hall, laden with presents for the children, and candies and fruit were also distributed. Afterwards the tree was removed and the floor cleared for dancing, and the older ones spent the remainder of the evening social intercourse and dancing, music being furnished by Lodter's orchestra.

The entertainment was arranged by a committee of the society consisting of Andrew Christensen, Erick Christensen, William Christenson and Soren Mickelsen.

THE SALVATION ARMY'S CHRISTMAS.

The local Salvation Army workers distributed 48 baskets to as many poor families in Newport, as the result of the contributions received in the kettles on the streets. Each basket contained enough for seven persons and the contents included plenty for a good Christmas dinner. The baskets were distributed by means of a horse and wagon loaned by Mr. Benjamin Easton.

A number of the children of John street, including Dorothy Gladding, Natalie Clarke, Gwendoline Ward and Emma Kelley, gave a large box of toys to the Salvation Army for distribution among the poor children of the city.

TRICKS OF PSYCHICS EXPOSED.

Freemasonry Among Soothsayers Enables Them to Make Easy Victims of the Public.

[Roy L. McCardell, in Hampton's Magazine.]

The palmists are sufficient in number to organize an army corps. They can read your thoughts by their wonderful magnetic qualities, and they can read the past, present and future by merely observing the lines of your hand. In reality, they read more in a patron's face than can possibly be guessed at from the lines of the hands. These suave, long-haired gentry—most of the palmists are men, though a few women hold hands also—are usually polished and superb specimens of idle manhood, men who are too lazy to do actual work, and make a living instead of poses, perfume, and prognostications. The flattery so dearly loved by women falls from their lips like petals from a fading rose. There is no reason why it shouldn't; they know their "patter" by heart.

One of the most successful of the so-called psychics is Khaldah, an affable, polished, clever chap who has been a frequenter of Atlantic City for many summers. Khaldah, however, does not claim to have supernatural powers: He calls himself an "entertainer," and has exposed various tricks of his profession time and again, showing to parlor audiences that the pretended psychic powers of others are usually no more than mere adroitness in sleight of hand and clever "patter" learned by heart.

"I could have made a fortune if I had been willing to be a humbug or a crook," said Khaldah, recently, in discussing the fun he has had in showing how tricks are done. "I have always been clever at sleight-of-hand work, and as a boy I used to do tricks and indulge in parlor magic. I soon learned that the secret of all psychic success is that the public loves to be fooled.

"Women delight in believing in the supernatural. They are impressed by the mystic glamour with which the frauds surround themselves. They are the principal patrons of the mediums and the palmists. They want to believe, and they do believe, in spite of the exposures and the efforts of their friends to convince them that they are wasting their money on a will-o'-the-wisp.

"I have found that it really is a mistake to try and convince people that the whole thing is a fraud, except so far as mere cleverness and dexterity is concerned. They don't like to believe it, and if one of the high priests comes forward and tells the truth, as I do, they simply go to others and are persuaded that the others, at least, have real psychic powers that have been denied me."

FLAGMAN BADLY INJURED.

Passenger Train from Boston Crashes Into Freighter Near Attleboro.

PAWTUCKET, Dec. 27.—While running at its regular rate of speed, passenger train No. 619 from Boston, when just out of Attleboro at 8:32 this morning, crashed into the rear end of a freight train and badly injured a flagman, Gilbert D. Smith, who was sitting in the caboose of the latter. The passengers of the Boston train were badly shaken up, but fortunately none were hurt. The accident was due to the dense fog which hung over the tracks. The train had just left Attleboro and was passing the tower house near Newport Road when the impact came. The engine of the passenger car in charge of Walter H. Palmer, was driven into the whole length of the freight caboose and into the next car as well. So great was the force that three other freight cars were bumped from the track. None of the passenger coaches were damged nor did they leave the rails, but the engine was badly smashed.

The passenger train was in charge of Conductor Arthur H. Davis of Dedham and the freight conductor was C. S. Cummings of New London. The tracks were blocked until 10 o'clock, when the wreckage was removed and trains proceeded. The injured flagman has a compound fracture and may lose his right leg. He was taken to a hospital in this city.

BY AN AMICABLE AGREEMENT.

Western Railroads Hope to Settle Wage Controversy on Their Lines.

CHICAGO, Dec. 27.—At conferences today between representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and of the Order of Railway Conductors and a committee of railroad managers, the western railroads hope to settle the remaining wage controversy on their lines. The amicable settlement reached Saturday with the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, through Labor Commissioner Charles P. Neill, as mediator, it is believed will pave the way for a similar adjustment with the 75,000 trainmen, conductors and brakemen employed on the same roads. Negotiations with the committee representing these two organizations have been in progress for over a month.

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HERRESHOFFS RUN THE KEEL.

New Racing Schooner for Commodore Plant Will be Model of the Centreboard Type.

The first actual construction work on the new racing schooner ordered by ex-Commodore Morton F. Plant of New York of the Herreshoff Manufacturing Company at Bristol was begun Saturday, when the running of the lead keel of the craft was accomplished in the south shop in a successful manner. At the same time it became known that Designer Herreshoff has gone back to his first love in type of model, as the new Plant yacht will swing a centreboard, which the Bristol designer has not undertaken in racing models in sloop or schooner since he turned out the Vigilant of cup defense fame in 1893. The reason for going back to the centreboard type is because of some difficulties in the way of producing a faster model on a keel type than the Westward, the famous schooner of Alexander S. Cochran, in the short interval of one year. The Westward was launched from the Herreshoff shops only last spring and swept everything before her in contests in Europe last summer.

There is no question as to Nat Herreshoff being determined to beat the Westward with his new model, and to do this he is giving the Plant yacht a model with a number of different features intended to make her a flyer. One of these features is a much broader beam than the Westward, and without any opportunity of argument this means simply a much larger sail spread to drive the craft to victory.

The racing ought to be interesting next season in the New York Yacht Club events between these two boats. The Westward is expected home from Europe some time next summer.

TO HAVE LARGE ATTENDANCE.

The American Historical Association Meeting in Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Dec. 27.—With what is believed will be the largest attendance in the history of the organization, the American Historical Association with its allied societies, the Ohio Valley Historical Association, the Mississippi Valley Association and the North Central Historical Teachers' Association, opened its twenty-sixth annual meeting here today.

The first session on today's program is of the Ohio Valley society when the discussion relative to the consolidation of the Ohio Valley and Mississippi Valley associations will be taken up. As these two organizations cover practically the same field and work along the same lines their executive boards have thought it advisable to propose their consolidation and final action may be taken before the sessions are adjourned Friday night.

A joint session with western history as the subject, will be held tonight with Benjamin F. Shambaugh of Iowa State University as chairman. The general reception for the guests will be held tomorrow night when Governor Thomas E. Marshall of Indiana will give the address of welcome and Frederick J. Turner of Harvard University and president of the American Historical Association will respond. A luncheon will be given Friday noon in honor of James R. Angell, president emeritus of Michigan University, at which Dr. James A. Woodburn of Indian University will be toastmaster.

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FINANCIAL.

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10—The feature of the stock market under resumption of business following the triple holiday was the severe decline on General Electric, due presumably to the approaching prosecution of the so-called electric trust by the federal government. General Electric opened with a decline of 1¾, and declined to 2¼ points. The balance of the list was inclined to weakness, with the exception of Western Maryland, which showed initial gains of ¾ to 1 point.

11—Trading was all on the bear side in the first hour, with what the room regarded as especially good selling of United States Steel. In addition to General Electric, which continued weak, there were declines of 1 point or over in Steel, Westinghouse, Union Pacific, Reading and Lehigh Valley. Buying orders at the low level resulted in some recoveries before the end of the first hour, but the market's undertone was still heavy.

Noon—The selling movement gathered volumes in the second hour and caused further declines in the active list. The same group of spectators who were recently credited with much activity for the long account were today prominent for their operations on the other side. The closing of a local state bank of minor importance contributed to the bearish sentiment. General Electric made a further decline to 151 on light offerings. Exceptions to the downward tendency was Consolidated Gas and Western Maryland, but the movement in these issues was attributed to pool manipulations. Bonds were irregular. Money on call steady at 3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½ to 5 per cent. Exchangos $203,047,047; balances $6,274,761.

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SOCIETY NOTICES.

WEENAT SHASSITT TRIBE No. 6, Chiefs and Brothers, You are requested to meet at Odd Fellows Hall, on Wednesday, Dec. 28, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Harry C. Brigham. White gloves. F. G. Scott, C. of R.

WEENAT SHASSITT TRIBE No. 6, Meets in Odd Fellows' Hall on Wednesday evening, Dec. 28. Election of officers. F. G. Scott, C. of R.

A HEBREW FESTIVAL.

Jewish Residents Observe the First Night of Chanuka, to Continue for Eight Days.

Practically the entire Jewish community of Newport attended the observance Sunday evening of the first night of Chanuka, a festival of rejoicing in remembrance of the famous battle of the Hebrews, under the leadership of Judah Maccabee, with the Syrians, and the great victory of the Hebrew warriors. The celebration, which continues eight days, is chiefly one of light, instituted among the congregations of Israel in the year 165 B. C. It is connected with an important chapter in the history of Jewish religion, and commemorates the dedication of the altar of the temple after its profanation by the Syrians.

In the celebration there is no elaborate ritual, as on some of the other holidays in the Hebrew calendar, and children have come to take the most important part in its observance. On each evening, beginning with the first, a candle is lighted, until eight have been consumed. The traditions of Jewish heroes are rehearsed, and from the record of their lives the children derive inspirations for the conduct of their own lives. That the beginning of the Jewish festival happened this year to fall on the twenty fifth of December is merely a coincidence.

Under the tutoring of Dr. Bloch the children of the Jewish community of Newport have shown great progress in the Hebrew school, and the celebration of Chanuka was almost entirely by them. Rev. Dr. Lichter, the rabbi, introduced Edwin Josephson, nine years old, who offered the opening prayer. Dr. Lichter then gave an interesting address on the Maccabees and their struggles.

Dr. Bloch performed the ceremony of kindling the first light of Chanuka, his singing, accompanied by the choir of the second grade, stirring the entire audience. The children of the first grade, accompanied by Miss Lena Lack on the piano, also sang. Miss Lottie Moscovitz, aged nine, rendered a piano selection, "The Mother's Prayer." Misses Frances Levy, Gertrude Rosen and Fannie Friedlander and Master Samuel Adelson and Reuben Adler recited "The Kindling of the Chanuka Lights," and the Chanuka Hymn was sung by all the children, accompanied by Miss Lena Lack on the piano.

The Zionist National Song was played by Charles Levy aged 12, on the violin, his rendition being received with applause. Mrs. B. Richards, Miss Irene Jacobs and Mr. Murray Jacobs gave selections for violin, piano and mandolin; Rev. Dr. Bloch sang a song, accompanied by Miss Lena Lack; Miss Ethel Josephson gave a recitation, "The Meaning of Chanuka." Miss Lillian Block sang "My Hero," accompanied by Miss Sadie Bloch on the piano; the children of the third grade recited "The Banner of the Jews;" Master M. Stoneman, aged five, recited "The Orator," and Master Elman Block, eight years old, offered the closing prayer.

Mr. Max Levy, president of the Congregation Jeshuat Israel, gave an interesting lecture, asking the fathers and mothers of the Jewish community to help support the Hebrew school and urging the children to attend the school regularly, to study and learn all they can, in order to make better men and women, and to be true to their religion, their country and good citizenship. He praised highly the work which has been done by Dr. Bloch and Dr. Lichter, saying that under the supervision of Dr. Bloch the children of the Hebrew school have shown great improvement in their singing, reading and religious work, and under the direction of Dr. Lichter have made great progress in literature and the reading of Hebrew.

After the entertainment presents were given to the children by the Congregation Jeshuat Israel.

THREE DEATHS.

H. Coleman Brigham of This City, Howard Malcom and William B. Stewart, Former Residents.

H. Coleman Brigham, an employe of the Newport Paper & Grocery Company, died at the Newport Hospital just before 1 o'clock Sunday morning. He had been sick with pneumonia since Monday, going to the hospital Tuesday, and Saturday it was feared that he would not survive. He was 39 years of age, a member of Weenat Shassit Tribe of Red Men and a member of years ago a member of the Newport Artillery. His mother, with whom he lived survives him, as do a brother and a sister.

He was 10 years in the employ of the grocery company, which loses a foreman whom it will be difficult to replace. He was faithful and held in the highest regard by his employers. Among his friends he was known as a whole-hearted and likable fellow who because of his liberality when others were in trouble probably saved little or nothing for a stormy day.

Howard Malcom, 51 years old, a retired New York dry goods merchant, shot himself dead in his bedroom early Sunday at his home in Montclair, N. J. Mr. Malcom had been in ill health for the past two years, having lived in Montclair about two years. He was the younger son of the late Rev. C. H. Malcom, formerly of this city; was educated partly in the public schools here and partly in Mr. H. H. Fay's private school, and left Newport about 1879 for New York, where he had since been in business coming to Newport only occasionally when opportunity offered. He was well known here when he was a boy.

News was received here Monday of the death, in the Harlem Hospital, New York, of William C. Stewart, formerly of this city. He was the son of the late James C. Stewart and was well known in this city until he left about 1890, since which time he had resided away from here. The body will be brought here for burial.

WORKS OF ART GIVEN TO MUSEUMS.

If Not Accepted, Drawings and Paintings Are All to Be Sold.

Will of John LaFarge Leaves All His Estate to Executor to be Disposed Of.

In the probate court this morning the will of David C. Woods was proved and letters testamentary thereon were granted to David C. Woods, Jr. The will of John LaFarge was proved and letters testamentary thereon were granted to Grace E. Barnes of New York. The will of Ruth A. Moulton was proved and letters testamentary thereon were granted to John D. Dickson. The final account of the administrator de bonis non with the will annexed on the estate of David A. Patt was allowed and the balance ordered distributed to the heirs at law. The release was ordered recorded on the estate of Catherine Kirby. The inventory of the estate of Ann Logier was ordered recorded and permission was given to sell personal estate at private sale. The inventory of the estate of Sarah Titus Zabriskie was ordered recorded.

Petitions for probate of the will of Julia A. Burke, and for increase of the bond of the executor of the will of Anna Hazard, were continued for further hearing.

Petitions for administration on the estate of Helen W. Parker, for consideration of the executor's first and final account with the estate of Nancy Hazard, for leave to sell real estate of Martha C. Langley, and three petitions for leave to sell real estate of Charles Talbot Smith, were continued to January 8, 1911.

The will of John La Farge is as follows:

"New York, April 25, 1910.

"I wish as soon as practicable after my death to have all my drawings offered to the Metropolitan, Carnegie, Worcester and Seattle museums, for the sum of (to be decided by my executor).

"If not accepted within 60 days of the offer, the drawings are to be sold at public auction at the best possible moment.

"I wish as soon as practicable after my death to have all my paintings, or these which seem most adaptable to my executor, to be offered to the above museums for the sum of (to be decided by my executor).

"If not accepted within 60 days of the offer they are to be sold at public auction at the best possible moment.

"If it seems of better advantage to my executor, any and all of these drawings and paintings may be disposed of at private sale after the said museums have refused to accept them.

"I wish my books, studio effects and all things belonging to me, as seems practicable to my executor, to be disposed of in the most advantageous manner.

"I except from the above the following articles, which I wish given to the persons designated below in a special paper duly witnessed.

(This separate paper does not form part of the will.)

"I wish the royalties from my books, published by the Century Company, Messrs. MacMillan, and Doubleday, Page & Co., to be paid to my executor, and he is to continue the publication of these books with any and all of these firms as he may see fit.

"I wish my letters and effects to be looked over and destroyed, or disposed of by my executor as he may see fit.

"I wish to be buried in Woodlawn cemetery, in the manner described and known to Grace Edith Barnes and Rizzo Awaki.

"From the monies received from all sales herein named I wish paid all my just debts and the cost of my tomb or mausoleum and my interment; and the remainder to be given to such museum or public institution as may be chosen by my Executor.

"I name as my executor, to act without bond, Grace E. Barnes, Larchmont, N. Y.

"John La Farge.
"51 West 10th street."

The will is witnessed by Rizzo Awoki and John H. Barlow. The name of the executor is written in by Mr. La Farge.

The will was sent to the probate court three weeks ago, under seal and with instructions that it be opened and offered for probate December 27. None of the members of Mr. La Farge's family are mentioned in the will nor is there any intimation whatever of the size of his estate, nor does he leave any specific bequest in terms of cash. Practically the entire distribution of the estate is left to the judgment of the executrix. Mr. Awoki was Mr. La Foarge's Japanese servant.

BLANCHE RING'S FIRST NEWPORT APPEARANCE.

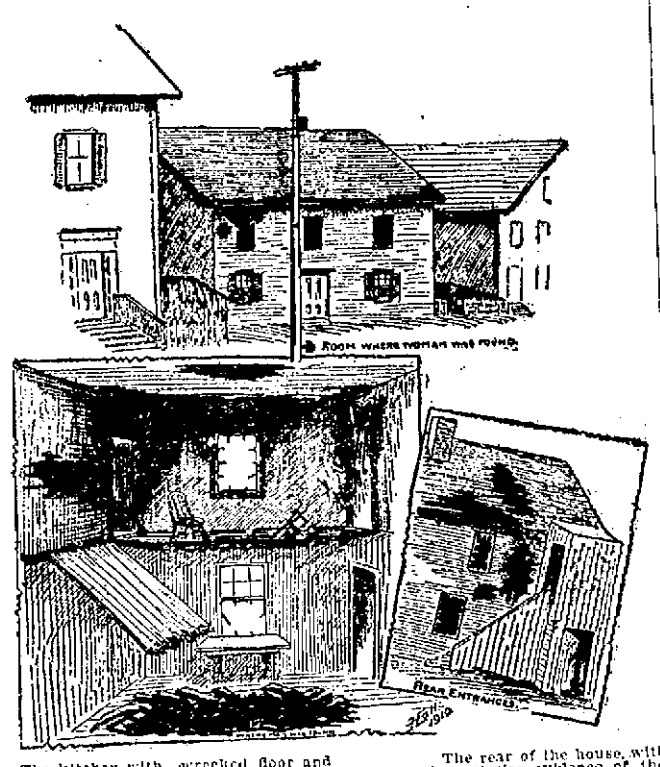
The appearance here of Blanche Ring, considered the foremost singing comedienne in this country and the original exponent of such popular songs as "Rings on My Fingers," "Yip-I-Addy," "Waltz Me Round Again, Willie," "The Belle of Avenue A," "The Good Old Summer Time," "Bedelia" and "My Irish Molly O," will be her first in Newport. She comes directly from the Majestic Theatre, Boston, where she has just terminated a prosperous engagement, previous to which she had a long run at the New York Herald Square Theatre.

George V. Hobart and Silvio Hein are responsible for "The Yankee Girl," the former having contributued an amusing and interesting book and the latter a pleasing musical score. Mr. Hobart's story abounds in humorous situations, furnishing Miss Ring with generous opportunities to display at their best all those talents for fun making which have made her popular among lovers of clean musical comedy.

In a Ring production the Ring songs are always among the most important features. Her new numbers include "The Top o' the Morning," "Love Among the Roses," "Come, Josephine, in My Flying Machine," "Nora Malone," and in response to an insistent demand Miss Ring is generally compelled to sing for an encore "Rings on My Fingers."

Harry Gilfoil heads the supporting company. Among others in the cast are William P. Carleton, Halliday and Curley, Marguerite Wright, Juliette Lange, Alfred DeBall, Paul Porter, Juan Villasana, Cyril Ring, Margaret Malcolm, Henry Bergman and Fannie Kidstone. There is a large chorus.

SCENE OF CHRISTMAS MORNING'S FIRE—HOUSE WHERE TWO LIVES WERE LOST.



The kitchen with wrecked floor and the apartment below, where the man's body was found. On the upper floor left doorway to the bedroom, and on the right the doorway to the exterior stairs.

The rear of the house, with the exterior evidence of the fire and the stairs Dutton used in going to the couple's assistance.

MAN AND WIFE PERISH

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Stowe Meet Death in Their Burning House.

Origin of Fire on Heath Court Early Christmas Morning Unexplained.

Two lives were lost in a Christmas morning fire on Heath court. Both persons probably met their death before the firemen arrived and possibly before the alarm was sounded. John M. Stowe, perhaps awakened by the fire, was plunged by the breaking away of the floor, into the kitchen below while his wife, a rheumatic cripple, was found on the floor beside the bed in her room.

What started the fire will probably never be known. The first person to discover it seems to have been one of the unfortunate victims. The couple slept in a room in the front of the house, the only exit from which, other than the windows, was a door into the kitchen.

If Stowe was asleep in the room where his wife was found it seems probable that when he stepped into the kitchen the floor had been so weakened by the flames that it gave way and precipitated him into the kitchen below. He may not have been in the sleeping room at all, and may have been in the kitchen when the fire started.

The section of the floor which dropped left a large hole between two intact portions, at either end of the room. There is left a bit of floor perhaps two feet wide, between the bedroom and stair doorways, running past a window; the other section is a little wider and upon it rests the cook stove, with no suggestion that hot coals could have fallen from it or that it had been overheated.

Stephen Dutton, who lived in the lower tenement, informed a News representative Sunday that he was awakened by his wife to see who had a light in his kitchen. He arose, looked out into the kitchen, saw a hole in the plastering and sparks dropping. While his wife was putting on some clothing he went out by the front way, around the house to the back stairs, in an effort to arouse the couple above. When he reached the door to their kitchen he found the smoke so thick that he dared go no further. He had been crying "Fire" all the time, and started for station No. 4, where he informed Driver Holt of the fire and then returned to his home, where the fire had already gathered much headway. He says that when Stowe came home late in the evening he felt on the cellar door and remained there some time before he attempted to ascend to his tenement.

Driver Holt telephoned headquarters and was ordered to the fire at once. A still was sent in and Chemical 1 started also. When Driver Holt arrived he saw that more than a still was needed and sent a young man back to the house to pull the box. With such assistance as he could secure from those on the scene he proceeded to lay hose and try to make his apparatus of some service.

The firemen, upon their arrival, naturally turned their attention first to fighting the fire, and the fact that some of the occupants had failed to escape seemed to dawn upon them rather slowly. Indeed, it was some time after Stowe's body had been found that it was made known that there was still a woman up stairs, and later yet when it was positively ascertained that the down-stairs occupants had escaped. Dutton says he remained in the crowd about the fire for some time, yet no one seemed to know where the down stairs people were.

The fire was rather peculiar in its behavior. It did not come from the stoves, as could readily be seen. It seemed to be seated in the centre of the up-stairs kitchen floor, yet it did not spread about the floor to any extent. It did ignite other woodwork in the room, apparently burned a hole in the ceiling and burned through the roof. The flames, too, entered the bedroom, where the woman was found.

The house is an old one, oak-framed, with large beams and small floor timbers. The latter are few in number, the ceiling and floor having little space between. The floor was two-ply and springy. Between the floor and ceiling the fire could travel little because of the old fashioned framing, which today is called "slow-burning construction." This saved much damage and perhaps other lives, and the firemen a great deal of work.

Driver Eldridge of Truck 1 made the discovery of Stowe's body. He and Emergencyman Malloy of Chemical 1 were working on the lower floor with the chemical stream, and pressing into the kitchen as fast as they could, though the smoke was staying anything like rapid advance. Finally, by the aid of the light of his lantern, Eldridge saw indistinctly what he thought was a towel rack, and when the smoke temporarily lifted he thought they were human arms, lifted. The two then stepped forward a few feet into the hot cinders, and assuring themselves that it was a body pulled it away and out into a front room.

It was firemen, too, who found the body of the woman, but not until they made a search for her, it was probably the fact that her body was partially under the bed, and because of the smoke, that they failed to discover it while fighting the fire. In each case it was the firemen, who were present in their usual numbers, who found the bodies and removed them to the street, where they were turned over to the police.

The bodies were brought out in blankets and placed in the police patrol, but it was not until the fire apparatus had all left the scene that the patrol left with the bodies. The police seemed to be at a loss to know what to do with them. The medical examiner had not been notified as soon as it was learned that lives had been lost and grown children of Stowe had been to the scene and gone away before it was realized that some advice might be required from them. Chief Kirwin, after his work was done, interested himself in helping the police to dispose of the bodies, by finding the son and notifying the undertakers.

Again the inadvisability of sending in a still for a midnight fire was shown. There is no evidence that a life might have been saved by assembling a force of firemen and apparatus in the first place, yet there might have been. As it was, the hose wagon with its driver went to the scene single-handed, only to learn that time was being wasted in not turning in a box.

Directly across the street from the fire a Christmas tree was being decorated and prepared for the morning, but it was not until Dutton cried aloud in the street that those at work realized that the fire was in progress across the way. In most of the neighboring homes darkness reigned and some were only just coming out when the firemen arrived.

Stowe worked at Almy's coal yard, and has been employed at other yards. Before this he worked for years at the shipyard, when it was under the management of James A. Eddy, and later under T. P. Crowley. He came here many years ago from Bristol, where he had been quite successful in the fish business until adversity came upon him. He had three children, a son in the employ of O'Brien, the roofer, and two daughters, one of whom married city Gate Keeper Ackers.

The house was owned by Mrs. Edward C. Richards and on it was carried an insurance of $400, through the agency of the Clarence A. Hammett Company. This amount, while small, will go quite a way in making good the damage to the building. Dutton carried no insurance on his furniture and it remains to be learned if the Stowes were protected.

REMOVAL OF THE BODIES.

No Place Provided for Temporary Care, and No One Clothed With Proper Authority.

Perhaps an explanation of the law will throw some light on what appeared to be an unnecessary mixup in regard to the care of the dead bodies found at Sunday morning's fire. Chief Kirwin thought the city had a morgue, or dead house, in which the bodies could be cared for until daylight, when the family could make arrangements for their disposal. The hour at which they were discovered, and the fact that there was no one left in the house, made necessary some arrangements. The police no longer have a place at the station house where dead bodies may be temporarily cared for.

Then the law comes in. An amendment to the law, passed in 1906, apparently for reasons, provides that in case a dead body is found at home the medical examiner shall not order its removal from the house except for the purpose of holding an autopsy, and in such event shall after the autopsy return the body to the house or to the family or relatives. In this case there was no apparent occasion for an autopsy and the medical examiner had no authority to order the removal of the body, nor had the police any authority to do other than see that the body was cared for. They could not incur any expense.

Under the circumstances, if they had had a place in which bodies could be temporarily cared for, without committing the family to any expense or any undertaker, they could for the rest of the night have moved the bodies there, giving the relatives opportunity to make arrangements for their care in the morning, when an undertaker could be secured and there had been some time for considering what was to be done.

A CALL TO PLEASURE.

Telegraph Messenger Boys Enjoy Dinner Arranged by Y. M. C. A. Secretary Jackson.

The dinner given at the Young Men's Christian Association to the telegraph messenger boys Monday afternoon was attended by 30 lads, who greatly enjoyed the treat prepared for them. As it was a general holiday, the boys had the day, or at least the greater part of it, to themselves. There were no business calls to interfere with the dinner, except the call to dinner itself, which was one of pleasure, rather than of business, although some of the boys made a business of it. The entertainment was arranged by Boys' Secretary Ellis L. Jackson and a number of the merchants of the city contributed generously to make the dinner a success.

The table was set in the banquet hall and was decorated with baskets of fruit and vases of cut flowers, one large jar of carnations being especially prominent. At 3:30 at a word from Mr. Jackson, the boys sat down and listened attentively while Rev. G. A. Hulbert asked the Divine blessing. Then for an hour or more they gave themselves to enjoyment of the dinner. Several of the members of the boys' cabinet and others of the junior department of the Association acted as waiters, and were kept busy filling and re-filling the plates. There was an abundance of everything which goes to make up a Christmas dinner and it is sufficient to say that each of the boys enjoyed it to the full extent of his capacity—and there were no small capacities among them.

After the boys had done full justice to the dinner they were called to order, and Physical Director Slocum extended the greetings of the Young Men's Christian Association. Rev. Mr. Hulbert read a Russian Christmas story. Manager Boone of the Postal Telegraph Company spoke briefly, thanking Mr. Jackson and others of the Association, in behalf of the boys, for the entertainment, and Mr. Fred P. Webber recited several of his stories.

Mr. Jackson was the last speaker. He said the dinner had been given in memory of a Young Men's Christian Association boy who was present at a dinner given a year ago, Robert Bradley, a messenger boy who was drowned last summer in Narrow river. The large vase of carnations was a gift from a friend of the Association, in memory of young Bradley.

THE APPRENTICES' CHRISTMAS.

The apprentice seamen had a merry Christmas, the day beginning with sports which included comedy in the line of a pie-eating contest. Then came the Christmas dinner, which comprised assortment and quantity sufficient to satisfy the most particular. In the afternoon there were boxing matches, and then supper for those who are really good eaters, though many of the boys deemed to think the dinner quite sufficient for the day. In the evening there was a minstrel performance by talent from among the boys.

AUCTION SALES.

Restaurant Fixtures, etc. at Auction.

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